

Allan Evans

ASTON VILLA (below)

MATCH VIEW: The deadliest defender around. Six-footer Allan finished up as Villa's second top scorer in the First Division last season and is on the goal trail again this term.

He has already scored five goals for the title hopefuls. But tough-tackling Allan is not only a 'king of the air' — he's deadly with both feet.

He turned sweetly in the box to hit a great goal with his left foot against Birmingham earlier in the season . . . one that was featured in our 'Golden Goal' series.





Dave Watson SOUTHAMPTON (above)

MATCH VIEW: England centre-half Dave has scored over 50 League goals in a long and successful career that has spanned five English clubs.

Dave is a valuable England weapon when he comes up for corners to cause havoc in opposing penalty areas.

At 33, Dave is nearing the end of his career, but with his fellow central defender at The Dell, Chris Nicholl, they continue to form an effective and popular partnership for the Saints.

Phil Neal LIVERPOOL (above)

MATCH VIEW: As well as being Liverpool's penalty king England full-back Phil Neal is also very dangerous on the break and has scored some spectacular goals for the League champions, none better than one against Aberdeen in the European Cup.

In over 200 games, Phil has scored more than 25 goals for Liverpool.

He is rated by his England colleague Peter Shilton as one of the most dangerous attacking defenders in the game today.



Nikki Jovanovic

MATCH GUIDE TO THE.

MAN UTD (above)

MATCH VIEW: The fearsome sight of the 6ft 3ins tall Yugoslav international moving upfield for corners and free-kicks strikes terror into the hearts of defenders and often means goals for Manchester United.

For Nikki loves to take full advantage of his size to score and create chances.

He has deputised well for Gordon McQueen, who has been sidelined through injury.

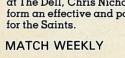
Willie Young

ARSENAL (left)

MATCH VIEW: One of the most uncompromising defenders in the game—but also one of the most dangerous in attack.

Big red-headed Willie (pictured right, in action against Forest's Martin O'Neill) is unmistakable as he charges upfield.

One of the masters of the set-piece, Willie has scored many an important goal for the Gunners.



Forest and
England star
Peter Shilton
names his
top six

TOP stopper Peter Shilton doesn't know where the next shot is coming from.

The Nottingham Forest and England star told MATCH: "It's a fact that teams are getting their goal quota from all sorts of players nowadays and more defenders are getting in on the act.

act.
"There are two kinds of 'deadly defender' — the big centre halves who come up for set-pieces and the fast attacking full-back," said Peter.

"In the first category I rate Arsenal's Willie Young, Gordon McQueen (Manchester Utd), and Match brings you a fascinating focus on the game's most dangerous attacking defenders and England keeper Peter Shilton gives his views.

my England team-mate Dave Watson as some of the most dangerous.

"Not only do they score goals but they also set them up for their team-mates," he added. "Phil Neal (Liverpool) and my

"Phil Neal (Liverpool) and my Forest mate Viv Anderson fall into the second category — they both like to come forward — and are very dangerous.

"I was also impressed by West Brom's Bryan Robson when he played as sweeper in England's last game against Switzerland. He broke from defence very quickly and caused the Swiss problems.

"Another attacking defender I rate highly is Ipswich Town's Kevin Beattie."



Viv Anderson

NOTTM FOREST (left)

MATCH VIEW: Known as 'Spider' to his team-mates Nottingham Forest's attacking defender has opponents in a tangle as he races forward to set up another attack.

As well as creating scoring chances, Viv can also finish them off and hit the net four times last season.

But Forest have a two pronged attack on the flanks because left back Frank Gray can also cause problems with his accurate shooting.



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Arsenal's last laugh

THE HOWLS of laughter must have echoed around the marble halls of Highbury when the Arsenal players heard the draw for the FA Cup fourth round.

Beaten 2-0 by Everton in the third round after reaching the last three finals this year's draw was of no more than academic interest until they heard who their conquerors had drawn . . .

Liverpool at home.
"That's the one everybody
wanted to avoid," said Arsenal's
Kenny Sansom, "but I don't reckon Liverpool are certainties by any means. "Everton will be lifted after

beating us and Liverpool haven't been at their best recently, added Kenny, whose 85th minute own goal put paid to the Gunners'

As well as the attraction of an exciting Merseyside derby at Goodison Park the draw has thrown up other intriguing ties.

Manchester City boss John Bond entertains his old team-mates at Carrow Road when Norwich City visit Maine Road.

Ipswich Town, chasing the double, travel to struggling Second Division Shrewsbury, while Southampton could become the Cup's dark horses if they beat Bristol Rovers at The

The full draw for the fourth round is: Barnsley v Enfield Bury or Fulham v Charlton **Everton v Liverpool** Coventry v Birmingham **Leicester v Exeter** Manchester City v Norwich Carlisle v Derby Middlesbrough v West Brom Newcastle v Luton **Notts Co v Peterborough** Nottm Forest v Manchester U Spurs v Hull Shrewsbury v Ipswich Southampton v Bristol Rovers Watford v Wolves West Ham or Wrexham v Wimbledon





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WHAT have Malcolm Poskett and Mick Harford in common.

Answer . . . they share the distinction of starting and finishing the most expensive transfer season on record.

When Watford manager Graham Taylor completed the sale of Poskett from Brighton on January 3, 1980, I'm sure he didn't realise that the £110,000 he paid would be the first instalment of a bonanza year in the transfer

It ended on December 23 with Newcastle boss Arthur Cox splashing out £150,000 on Lincoln goal grabber Mick Harford to clock up an incredible fifty-six-million three-hundred and sixty-three-thousand five-hundred-pounds, yes that's £56,363,500 on the 1980 cash till.

Four men shared the year's top buy tag all on £1,250,000 . . . Ian Wallace (Coventry to Forest), Clive Allen (QPR to Arsenal), Kevin

Reeves (Norwich to Man City) (pictured left) and Garry Birtles (Forest to Man U) with August the most popular buying month when nearly £7 million was spent.

January —£1,663,000; February £2,862,500; March —£3,538,000; April —£700,000; May —£2,580,000; June —£2,697,000; July — £3,935,000; August — £6,790,000; September — £550,000; October — £3,683,000; November £1,170,000; December — £1,430,000.

For the record here are the final sales of 1980, continued from our December 27 issue . .

12	Alan Curtis Leeds	Swansea	£175,000
13	Terry Austin Mansfield	Huddersfie	d£125,000
15	Terry FenwickC. Palace	QPR	£150,000
15	Mick FlanaganC. Palace	QPR	£100,000
17	John BurridgeC. Palace	OPR	£200,000
18	John TrewickWest Brom	Newcastle	£250,000
23	Mick HarfordLincoln	Newcastle	£150,000
23	Alan Mayes Swindon	Chelsea	£200,000

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Poster winners

WE'VE had a terrific response from all you budding artists following our Christmas painting competition.

And the standard of entries were so high that it took us quite a time to sort out the winners of the 18 giant England team posters.

The class one winners (nine years and under) are: Andrew Will, Turriff, Aberdeen; Christopher McKellar, Little Neston, South Wirral; Patrick Chesters, Rochdale, Lancs; Mark Osikoya, Herne Bay, Kent; Christopher Leach, Whittington, Lichfield, Staffs; and Justin Brown, Wisbech, Cambs.

Class two (10-13 years): Alun Herbert, Tredegar, Gwent; Stuart Smith, Southend-on-Sea, Essex: John Tobin, Abbots Langley, Herts; Anton Poll, Anstey, Leics; Phillip Galley, Wyberton, Lincs; and Duncan Burns, Stratford-on-Avon, Warks.

Class three (14 and over): Mark Nassau, Middlesbrough, Cleveland; Paul O'Hagan, Kenton, Newcastle-upon-Tyne; Philip Green, Reiss, Wick, Scotland; Alistair Janusch, Windsor, Berks; Pankai Kumar, Croydon, Surrey; and Steven Bracewell, Huddersfield, Yorks.

ON LAST week's front page we inadvertently referred to an article inside on Manchester United's Jimmy Nicholl. The item did not appear in that issue and for that we apologise.



Golden own goal

IT'S not easy to see the funny side when you have just headed a spectacular goal into your own net particularly in front of millions of TV viewers.

But Bolton's Mick Walsh (left) refused to sulk about the effort which helped to send his team reeling to 2-1 defeat at West Ham and is being tipped as the 'Own Goal of the Season'.

Definitely the best I've scored," he winked, "a right little cracker. I even waited for it on the telly and remember telling my old lady . . . here it comes, what a smasher!"

For the record here's the goal again in Mick's own words:
"Corner came over, Paul Jones got a touch, I thought Bonds and Martin were coming to meet it behind me, so I launched myself trying to nod it wide. Trouble was, I headed it too well and it flew off into the net.

LEICESTER boss Jock Wallace made the most of his agonising weeks with leg in plaster - the cast was raffled and raised £310 for mentally handicapped children.

Disc prize

SIX lucky readers have won an autographed copy of England goalkeepers Ray Clemence and Peter Shilton's new record.

The disc — Side by Side — was the top prize in a competition in our December 27 issue.

The winners are: Mervin Samuels (13), Forest Gate, London; G. P. King, Fordingbridge, Hants; lan Gall, Sheffield, Yorks; Edward Simpson, Great Glen, Leics; Anthony Mulhern (11), Longsight, Manchester; and Pete Williams, Oakley Green, Windsor,

The correct answers were: 1) Gordon Banks; 2) Skegness; 3) Austria.

pen pal of about the same age who follows Manchester Utd, Sunderland, Liverpool or Forest. I like pop music and I am a fan of Blondie, Police and Madness. Suzanne Spencer, 26 Sanderson Road, Jesmond, Newcastle upon

like a pen friend who likes soccer and cricket. I am also keen on music and like Blondie and The Jam. Robert Broad (16), 29 Bute Close, Hinckley, Leicester.

I AM 12-years-old and would like a | AM a great Manchester United fan and would like a pal aged 10 to 12. I am also keen on athletics, badminton and cycling.

Robert Middleton (11), 1 John Hampden Way, Prestwood, Great Missenden, Bucks.

I AM a Leeds United fan and would I SUPPORT Ipswich and my other hobbies include basketball and golf. I am 12-years-old. Mehmet Hassan, 1 Abbotstone House, Geldeston Road, London

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HI THERE, I'm Justin Fashanu.

There's been a lot of speculation surrounding my future this season but I'm happy to reveal that I've finally made my big signing . . . for Match Weekly.

And in the coming weeks I will be allowing you into my life and giving you an insight to my football world.

But first let me take you back to the beginning . .

I was born 19-years ago at Hackney Hospital, London, and when I was very young my parents split up leaving myself and younger brother John in a Dr Barnado's home.

But we were very lucky because John and I were fostered by two marvellous people. We moved to live in the Norwich area when I was four vears old.

My football career started at Attleborough Primary School when I used my size - I was always bigger than my class-mates - to score goals in the playground.

I moved to the secondary school and I began to take the sport more seriously. When I was 12 I found myself in the school's under 14 team.

Scoring goals has never been a problem for me and I was soon playing for Norfolk Schoolbovs.

It was about this time - when I was 14 — that I took up boxing.

A friend took me to the gym one day to watch him. As I'm no good as a spectator I just couldn't wait to jump in the ring and have a go.

So reckoning myself as Norwich's answer to Muhammad Ali I took a real liking to the sport and enjoyed a

My way...D

I can't forget Liverpool!

LEAGUE champions Liverpool are at Norwich on Saturday and that brings back instant memories of last season's clash at Carrow Road — a match I'll never forget.

We were beaten 5-3, but I scored the best goal of my career so far. I was delighted that it went on to be voted BBC Television's 'Goal of the Season'.

Many people have said that it

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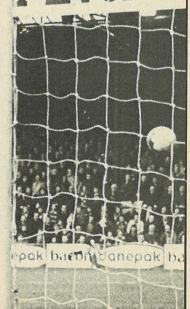
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Norwich and England striker Justin Fashanu signs for Match Weekly

fair amount of success at it.

I reached the Amateur Boxing Association's heavyweight finals twice and scored 19 wins, including 12 knock-out's, for my club, Watton.

I was getting on well in the sport and fancied the idea of becoming a professional boxer.

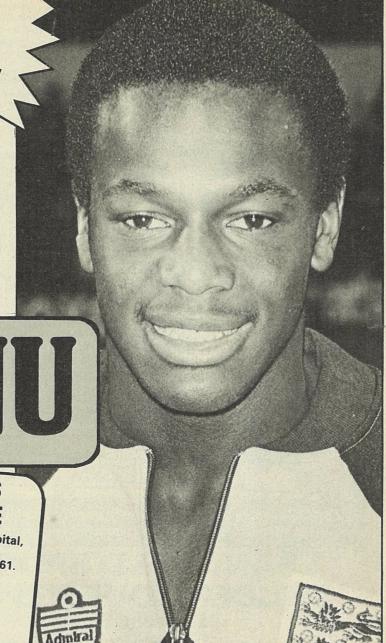
But because I couldn't become a professional until I was 17 I had a year to kill when I left school.

I had had trials at Peterborough and Norwich so when the Canaries offered me terms I decided to give it a go.

I never expected to make the grade and thought that the bubble would burst and the club would reject me.

But to my amazement the goals kept going in and by the time I was 17 I had made my debut in the First Division.

Peterborough United must have felt a little sick at the time because I was all set to sign for them until Norwich came in.



FASHANU

was a goal in a lifetime and only happens to a player once.

But I believe that if you keep taking pot-shots from far out the law of averages says that some of them must go in.

The funny thing about the goal was that at the time I didn't think about scoring — I just tried to get my shot in before the defenders closed me down.

Saturday's game is very important because Liverpool, as usual, are chasing the title.

We have been putting it together at Carrow Road — but letting ourselves down away from home.

JUSTIN'S FACT FILE

BIRTHPLACE: Hackney Hospital, London. BIRTHDATE: February 19, 1961. AGE: 19. LEAGUE DEBUT: January 13, 1979 v West Brom., drew 1-1. LEAGUE APPEARANCES: 74 (goals 32). INTERNATIONAL APPEARANCES: Two 5

APPEARANCES: Two England youth, two Under 21 and one England B cap.

THAT TRANSFER TALK

I HAVEN'T let all the transfer talk affect my form this season.

But I do know that if I keep scoring goals my sale price will keep going up!

It's no secret that I want to play for a successful big name club but until that happens all I want is to score goals for Norwich City.

Left: Even the mighty Ray Clemence couldn't keep out my effort in last season's fixture at Carrow Road. The England keeper is beaten by the shot which won me BBC's 'Goal of the Season' award.

It is very difficult for me to comment on so-called offers that have been reported in the newspapers — I can't say anything until a club offers money for me. But I'd like to thank the Norfolk people for the way they have supported me.

They realise that I am only trying to look after myself and I have heard nothing but kind words from the supporters at Carrow Road.

It would have been easy for me to have accepted a new contract and then still insisted that I wanted to get away — and the fans would have rightly given me some stick.

But I haven't done that and they have accepted that I am ambitious and want to join a club with potential.

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NEXT WEEK

I'll be telling you about two special moments in my life — my debut and how Kevin Bond helped me score my first goal for Norwich City.

Look forward to seeing you next week — bye for now!

MATCH WEEKLY

Wonder Wark. congratulations from Paul Mariner

Goal Times Opponents Aug 16 Leicester (a)

 Broke the deadlock with a late diving header from Eric Gates' right wing cross. Won 1-0.

Brighton (h) Aug 19 • First penalty of the season — struck it to

the right of Graham Moseley. Won 2-0. Aug 26 (LC) Middlesbrough (a)

 Bit of a fluke. Had my back to goal and took a swing at low cross with left foot. Squeezed past Jim Platt. Lost 3-1.

Everton (h) Ана 30

 One of the best. Cross from Paul Mariner on right . . . hit it on volley from the edge of box and it flew in. Won 4-0. C. Palace (a)

Sept 13 Through ball from Alan Brazil. My first shot hit keeper but I put rebound into the empty net. Won 2-1.

12.15.29.78 Sept 9 (E) Aris Salonika (h)

••• Three penalties — but enjoyed my other goal. Chested ball down, went between two defenders and sidefooted shot past 'keeper. Won 5-1. 57,63

Coventry (h) Sept 20

• First was a scrambled effort . . . I got knocked down in box and as I was getting up the ball came to me and I swung at it. Second was rather special. Cross from Arnold Muhren, flicked on by Brazil and I chested it down and whacked it in with my left foot. Won 2-0, but also got booked!

Leeds (h)

 Most satisfying because Leeds had defended throughout. Another Muhren cross from the left and I came running from inside right position to score with a diving header on the edge of the box. Drew 1-1.

Bohemians (h) Oct 22 (E) O Both similar, long range shots. First

from pass by Gates took deflection and went over 'keeper's head. Second was hit as I was running towards goal. Won 3-0. Oct 28 (LC) Birmingham (a)

 Another penalty, to 'keeper's right. Lost 2.1

Southampton (a) Nov 11 Great cross from George Burley. I came in unmarked on the far post to head home

from close in. Drew 3-3. Forest (a) Foul on Frans Thijssen by Frankie Gray.

Beat Peter Shilton with another penalty. Won 2-1

21,44,76 Nov 26 (E) Widzew Lodz (h)

••• Enjoyed the first. A lot of play outside the box, Thijssen pushed ball through defenders and I shot from close in. Second from Muhren cross — chested down and shot. Third came from a Kevin O'Callaghan centre, Mariner headed on and I hit the ball in mid-air. Won 5-0.

Birmingham (a) Dec 20 Muhren crossed from the left and I stole behind their defence to head in. Won 3-1. Norwich (h)

 One of the best. Hit a bouncing ball on the edge of the box. It bent as it flew into top corner. Won 2-0.

Arsenal (a) Dec 27 • I saw Arsenal lads telling Pat Jennings to go to the right when we got a penalty - I surprised him by hitting it to the left. Drew

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Penalties — the Wark way! John slots in goal No. 1 against Aris Salonika. Terry Butcher (No. 6) can't bear to warch!

IN THIS exclusive MATCH WEEKLY dossier Ipswich Town's John Wark has been revealing the facts (left) behind his incredible goal tally and the

secrets of his success. Note: LC — League Cup; E — UEFA Cup. The rest are League Matches. Spots denote goals per by Anthony Hawkswell

FOR a midfield player Ipswich Town's John Wark is a handy striker to have around.

Now the Scottish international has become the Ipswich 'goal machine' and at the end of the year had scored 23 goals.

'It's been an unbelievable season for me so far — I just hope

it carries on," John told MATCH. He has helped Town's push for the League Championship with 12 goals and given their UEFA Cup hopes a boost with nine from their three home ties at Portman Road.

"I'm timing my runs into the box better this season and this has produced a few more goals," he added.

"I have played with the same players for a couple of seasons now so I know what they are going to do and can time my runs exactly.

The forwards Paul Mariner and Alan Brazil have been taking the big centre-halves out of the way and this has helped me steal

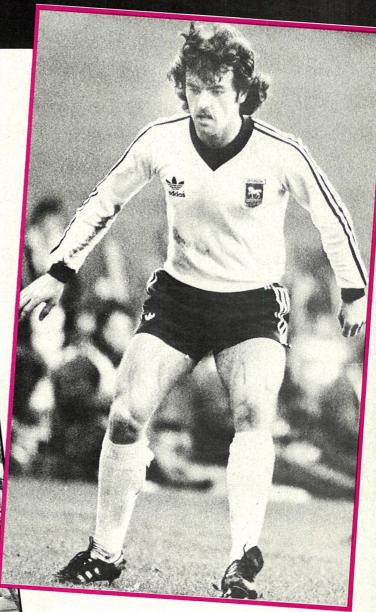
Wark-over! He hooks in his hat-trick goal against Aris Salonika

Scoring so many goals early on has boosted my confidence and encouraged me to have a go from far out.

"But really I don't mind who scores the goals as long as Ipswich keep winning games and stay on course for the title," added John.

"Funnily enough the two penalties at Forest and Arsenal were the most valuable goals I have scored so far. The Forest one gave us both points while the goal at Highbury gave Ipswich the draw we deserved.

John, who scored 15 goals last season, added: "But I'm not setting myself any targers this time, although I shall be disappointed if I don't score a few more," he added.

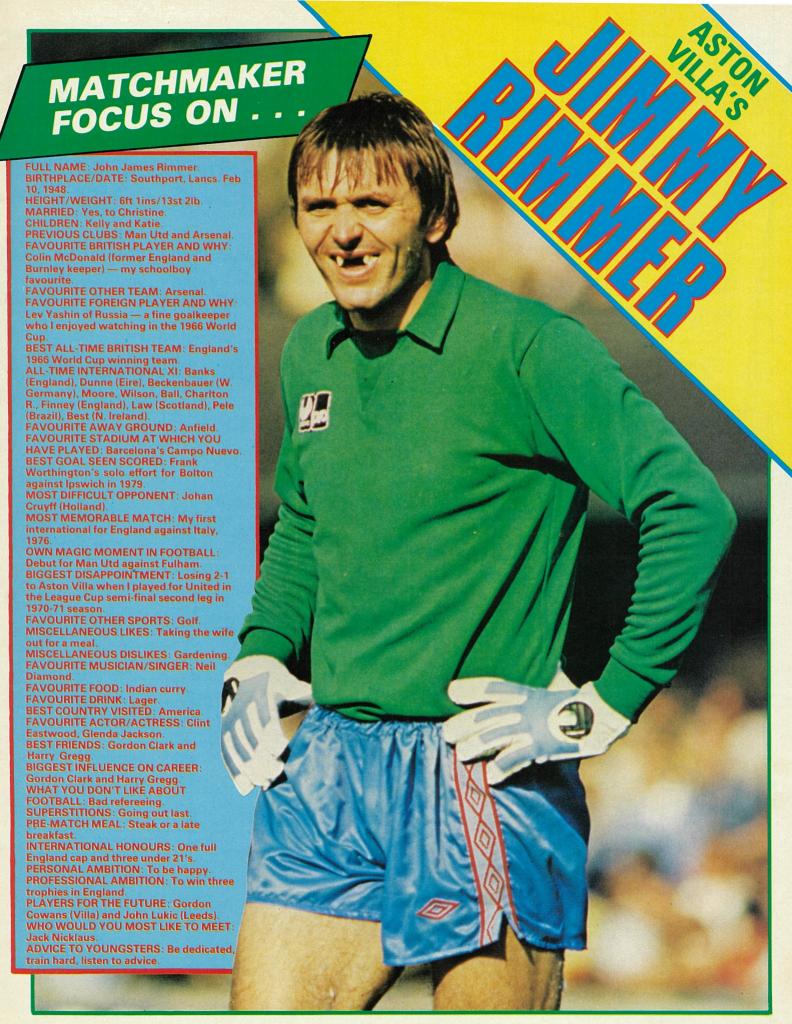


Great Scot: John Wark . . . man of many parts midfield terrier, penalty king, and goal-grabber extraordinary.

Wark tall . . . John celebrates a goal against Crystal Palace.



GARINGHAM FOREST



MY WORST MOMENT

THE WORST moment of my career — that's how I rate my own goal which knocked Arsenal out of the FA Cup

t goodison Park.
I don't think I've ever felt so low in all my life as I did when I saw the ball fly into the net and give Everton at Goodison Park.

I wouldn't have felt so bad if it had happened in the first half — at least we would have had some chance of the lead in the 85th minute.

What was worse was that it was my first FA Cup wnar was worse was that it was my tirst FA cup appearance for The Gunners and before I joined them they had done so well in the competition. We were pulling it back. going for out fourth successive Wembley appearance. oing for our fourth successive wempley appearance
The lads were really great after the match and told
The lads were really great after the match and told
The lads were should to built don't think I will over

me not to worry about it — but I don't think I will ever A cross came in from Joe McBride and I knew that forget the goal.

Mick Lyons was behind me.

I tried to push the ball for a corner with my left foot Many people — Arsenal coach Don Howe included many people — Arsenal coach Don nowe included — said I should have cleared it with my right foot but I am but it just flew into the net.

Aurany left footed.

Although it's no consolation I genuinely believe I'd naturally left footed.

attempt the same sort of clearance again in the I really wanted to have a successful Cup run this year. I've never had a good spell in the FA Cup. But we've now got to knuckle down and look to the circumstances. League and at least a place in Europe for next season.

A score to settle with Spurs

SATURDAY sees the Gunners up against our North London rivals Spurs for the third time this

And although we beat them in the First Division we have a score to settle because they knocked us out of the League Cup when they won 1-0 at White Hart Lane.

We have a tremendous record against them in the League - we haven't been beaten since 1976 – and we shall be out to keep up our good record.

Ossie Ardiles will have returned from the World Cup winners tournament in Uruguay and that won't make our task any

Spurs have been playing with their captain Steve Perryman in a defensive role recently - and that will suit me fine.

It think Steve is much more effective when he plays in midfield — he adds aggression to the skills of Ardiles and

Up front close season signings Garth Crooks and Steve



Steve Perryman - I reckon he's much more effective in the Spurs midfield.

Archibald have got it together well and are scoring goals.

Scoring has never really been much of a problem for them but they do concede a few and we shall be hoping to capitalise

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MATCH WEEKLY CLASSIFIEDS

Relegation would do Palace good!

SAYS ARSENAL'S KENNY SANSOM

IT SADDENS me to say it, but I can't see my old team, Crystal Palace, pulling themselves out of trouble this season.

With the extraordinary happenings at Selhurst Park recently I don't think the players have the confidence to play themselves out of the relegation zone.

It doesn't look at all good for my old mates — nothing is going right for them at the moment.

Looking to the future it could be better for them to go down to the Second Division — it would give them the breathing space to rebuild.

It doesn't do a team's confidence any good at all to be battling against relegation year in and year out.

A season in the Second Division didn't do Manchester United or Spurs any harm — they are much stronger now for the experience.

Some of the comings and goings at Palace have amazed me.

I think Queens Park Rangers manager Terry Venables must have picked up the bargain of the season when he bought Terry Fenwick for just £100,000. I rate him as one hell of a player.

Terry took my place at left back when I moved to Arsenal but he has also played in front of me in midfield and I was very impressed by his displays.

I still feel a great deal for Palace and I can only wish them happier times.





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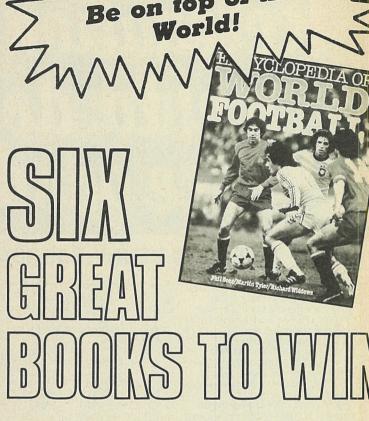
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b) Holds one arm by his side and points in the has been kicked? direction of the kick.

c) Holds one arm in the air until the ball has

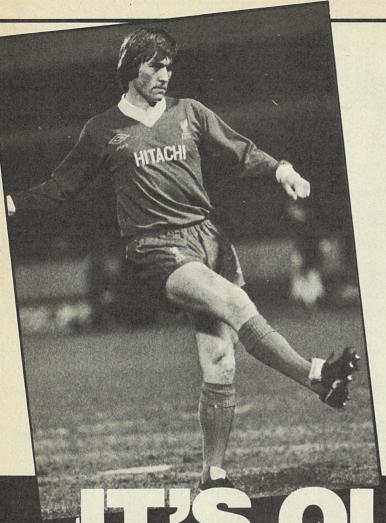
been touched by another player. Answer: C

GROUNDED Can you match the Welsh teams on the left with the grounds on the right? a) The Racecourse Ground

- 1) Swansea
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So keep your copies of MATCH WEEKLY safe and look out for next week's issue.

Here are this week's questions 6-10.

6 When I joined Celtic as a boy Tommy Docherty was manager.

True or False? 7 What Liverpool shirt have I worn most? No. 8, No. 7, or No. 10.

8 My Scotland team-mate John Wark has had a fantastic season so far, scoring 23 goals up to the end of December. How many of them has he scored in European games for Ipswich?

9 Liverpool won a record 12th **Division One championship last** season. Who finished second? 10 Bob Paisley is Liverpool's fifth manager since the war. From whom did he take over?

Good luck, see you next week.

1 Following his transfer from Nottingham Forest, Garry Birtles made his Manchester United debut against which club? 2 This former England international was known as Nijinsky by his team-mates. 3 Who's goal clinched the 1980 Home international championship for Northern Ireland in Wales? 4 Queen of the South are based in which Scottish town? 5 Which firms sponsor the shirts of the following sides: a) Forest, b) Liverpool, c) Everton? 6 lpswich signed Arnold Muhren and Frans Thijssen from the same Dutch club. Which one? 7 On November 19, 1980 Oldham Athletic sold Simon Stainrod to Queen's Park Rangers but who did they buy from Manchester City the same day? 8 Rangers midfielder Jim Bett

signed for the 'Gers' from which Belgian club? 9 Where was this season's Scottish League Cup final

played? 10 For whom did Derby County pay a record £410,000 transfer fee in April 1980?



Frans Thijssen . . . signed from which

Swindlehurst. Park, Dundee, 10 Dave Roger Palmer, 8 Lokeren, 9 Dens Hafnia, 6 Twente Enschede, 7 5a) Panasonic, b) Hitachi, c) Brotherston v Wales, 4 Dumfries, 1 Stoke City, 2 Colin Bell, 3 Noel

SIOMSUE

IF YOU re-arrange the letters below, revealed will be the club against which Kevin Keegan made his

EBOPUHETRRGO debut for Scunthorpe.

A Answer: Pelerborough

you spot it. 1977 — Wolverhampton 1978 — Bolton Wanderers 1979 — Brighton 1980 — Leicester City

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1976 — Sunderland

Brighton.

Answer: 1979 was Crystal Palace not





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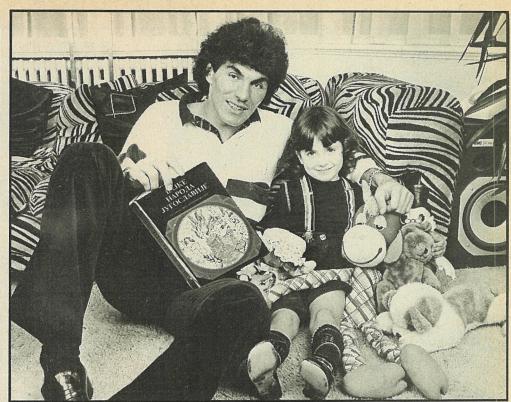
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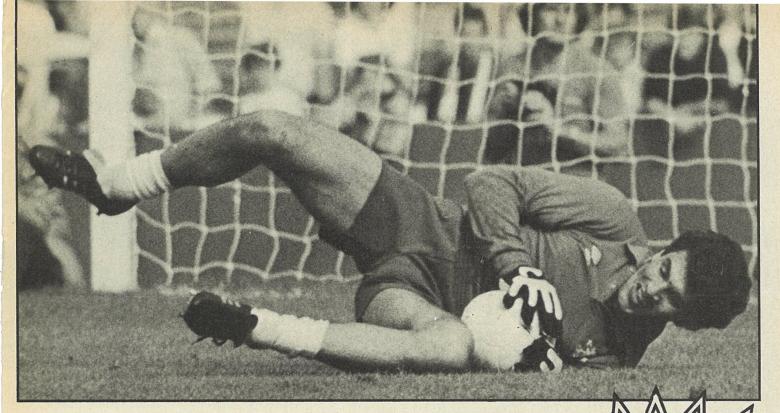
(Below) Petar is the true artist . . . both on and off the field. Here he poses alongside one of the many marvellous paintings he has created in his spare time. This work of 'fantasy' hangs in the lounge of his Putney home. Petar studied art for 18 months before he became a full time footballer and has even held his own

one man exhibition in London. He is soon to hold another and it will certainly be worth a

(Above) Petar spends a quiet moment with his youngest daughter Barbara (4), surrounded by her collection of cuddly toys. He has one other daughter - seven-year-old Mirella.







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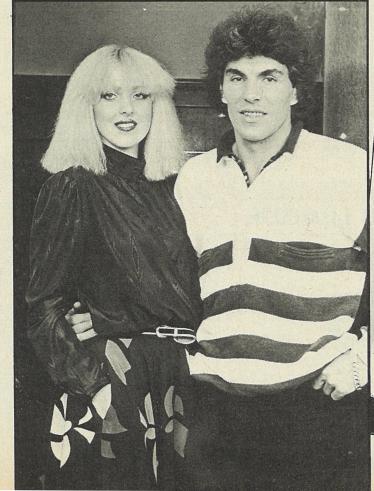
(Above) Petar as the Chelsea fans usually see him — in spectacular goalmouth action, this time in the September League game against promotion rivals West Ham at Stamford Bridge.



(Right) The woman behind the man. Petar's stunning Yugoslavian wife Biba has been able to help him with his English but she leaves the football side to her husband — prefering to stay home most match days.



(Far right) Just for luck.
This tiny piece of wood is
Petar's good luck charm
and travels with him in
his jacket pocket on
every match day. He
explained: "It was given
to me by my mother. It's a
type of wood found in a
certain mountainous
region of Yugoslavia —
no-where else in Europe
— and it's believed to
bring luck."



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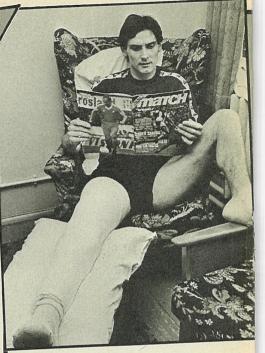
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Celtic	20	9	1	0	29	7	3	4	3	11	11	29
Morton	21	8	1	2	19	9	3	3	4	20	18	26
St Mirren	20	6	3	2	22	19	2	3	4	8	14	22
Rangers	22	6	3	2	19	12	2	1	8	12	18	20
Aberdeen	17	5	1	3	17	12	3	2	3	13	9	19
Partick	20	3	4	2	10	11	3	3	5	15	19	19
Kilmarnck	19	6	2	1	13	5	0	4	6	8	24	18
Dundee	19	7	2	1	21	14	1	0	8	8	26	18
Dundee U	20	5	2	2	14	5	1	3	7	11	17	17
Hibernian	20	3	4	3	15	16	0	0	10	4	22	10

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	P	W	D	L	F	A	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Hearts	23	9	3	0	25	13	3	4	4	15	18	31
Dumbarton	24	7	3	2	22	11	6	1	5	16	14	30
Airdrie	25	8	2	3	32	15	2	6	4	16	18	28
Ayr		7	4	2	25	12	2	5	4	17	21	27
Clydebank		4	5	1	15	9	5	2	6	21	22	25
Hamilton		7	3	2	24	15	2	4	6	13	26	25
Motherwell	25	5	4	2	17	10	3	4	7	16	26	24
Berwick	25	3	6	5	27	22	3	5	3	16	18	23
Stirling	23	5	4	3	19	11	3	3	5	9	14	23
Dunfermline	24	6	2	3	17	14	3	3	7	12	23	23
St Johnstone	23	3	3	4	19	19	5	2	6	20	31	21
Arbroath	25	5	4	4	22	21	1	5	6	12	26	21
Raith	23	3	5	5	17	18	3	3	4	13	15	20
Clude	25	2	4	6	16	20	1	5	7	14	25	15

Now see how they finished. Division One: Liverpool; Division Two: Leicester; Division Three: Grimsby; Division Four: Huddersfield; Scottish Premier: Aberdeen; Division One: Hearts.



Spurs' Milija Aleksic sits it out in hospital with a copy of Match Weekly after his injury at Old Trafford. Almost immediately after returning to first team action he was sidelined again.

So unlucky

My sympathy goes out to Spurs goalkeeper Milija Aleksic who was sidelined almost immediately after returning to the Tottenham side.

Milija received a terrible injury in the FA Cup tie against United at Old Trafford last season and it was extremely sad to see him carried off once more in Spurs' away game at Norwich.

It must have been a terrible blow after fighting so hard to get back into the first team and I'd just like to wish him a speedy recovery to full fitness once more.

Ritchie's return

UNITED'S 2-2 draw with Brighton in the third round of the FA Cup turned out to be one of the most exciting games at Old Trafford this season.

After going 2-0 down in the first half we pulled level and should have snatched the game in the last 20 minutes.

The atmosphere in the closing stages was absolutely incredible.

Brighton's Andy Ritchie fulfilled a dream by scoring on his return to Old Trafford with a well taken header, but United's new shooting star Mike Duxbury wasn't to be outdone.

Mike came on for Sammy McIlroy in the second half, played extremely well and got us back on the road. Happily we beat Brighton in the replay and face Forest in the Fourth Round.

NEXT WEEK, SPURS AND ENGLAND STAR GLENN HODDLE REVEALS THE SECRETS OF HIS SHOOTING SKILLS.

Man Utd Z Man Leeper goalkeeper writes just writes you

GOAL! The best I've ever seen

WHITE Hart Lane is one of my favourite away grounds and it was there that I witnessed the best goal I've ever seen . . . at first hand.

The goal I'm talking about is Glenn Hoddle's volley for Spurs against United in the League Cup second round last season.

It came right out of the blue and I don't mind admitting it caught me a bit flat-footed.

We were 1-0 down and Spurs were awarded a free kick which was taken by Terry Yorath.

He pushed the ball forward to Glenn who played a one-two with Ossie Ardiles, ran on into the box, took off and hit the ball at what must have been above waist height - full on the volley.

It was one of those shots that either go in or knock someone out in the stands!

I managed to stick out an arm but it didn't help much and the ball just whistled past me and into the top right hand corner of the net.

Glenn said at the time that he rated it the best goal he had

ever scored and his manager Keith Burkinshaw went one better by saying it was the best he had ever seen.

It was all so unexpected and that's what made it so special . . . just like Terry McDermott's volley for Liverpool against Spurs, also at White Hart Lane, in the FA Cup last season.

But then, Glenn has the ability to hit a ball hard and accurate even when he's not in an ideal striking position and that is true skill.

In my next column I'll tell you about the save I regard as the best I've ever made . . . and why I may never make another save like it.

Ready for the

SATURDAY's League programme sees us up against Sunderland and I'm really looking forward to my first game at Roker Park . . . like Old Trafford, a ground that's always had a great reputation for atmosphere

After the noise generated inside Old T. some grounds we visit seem really quiet.

You can almost hear supporters unwrapping their sweet papers!

But that certainly won't be the case on Saturday and that suits me just fine. I love the kind of occasion that's sure to be generated for our visit to the North East.

It's Sunderland's first season back in Division One and in all fairness they are probably finding life a bit tough, but they will provide very, very

difficult opposition on their own ground.

When we played them at home earlier in the season we drew 1-1.

They were forced to defend most of the game, but handled the job well and finally broke away to equalise.



Sunderland's Stan Cummins one man I'll be hoping to keep out at Roker Park on Saturday.

Kenny's soccer dossier

English League

App 147 Goals 65

European Cups

App 42+2

Goals

Scottish League Cup

App 56+4

Goals 34

Scotland

App 72+5

Goals 23

Scottish FA Cup

App 29+2

Goals
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THIS IS MY LIFE

Kenny Dalglish is fast becoming a goal-scoring legend. Here we detail his career since making his debut for Celtic in a Scottish League Cup tie against Hamilton on September 25, 1968.

Scottish League

App 200+4

Goals 118

English FA Cup

App

Goals

English League Cup

App Goals

Scotland U-23

App

Goals

Statistics up to and including December 25, 1980.



11 YEARS LATER IN A
LIVERPOOL HOTEL KENNY
RECALLED THE MATCH
WITH EVERTON'S NEW SIGNING
DAVE THOMAS WHO PLAYED
FOR ENGLAND THAT DAY...



KENNY FLEW TO LONDON &
WAS MET BY WEST HAM MANAGER
RON GREENWOOD WHO
TOOK HIM HOME TO TEA.





WINNER

Talent is tops

THE 'bad boys' of football seem to get all the publicity, but people forget we have many talented players who are not only a delight to watch, but also a credit to their profession.

I am talking about the likes of Trevor Brooking and Alan Devonshire (West Ham), Frank Stapleton (Arsenal) and Ray Clemence (Liverpool).

They are a fine example to young fans and should get more recognition.

James Diamond (16), Hebburn, Tyne and Wear

Below: Praise for Liverpool keeper Ray





Wide-open Wemblev

I THINK it's unfair that international teams play at Wembley.

The pitch is very tiring for players who are not used to the wide open spaces and this gives the English an unfair advantage over their opponents. Vito Ravo, London **W**2

• I HAVEN'T seen England set the World alight at Wembley recently. You get the red card for talking such drivel.

Shaw has class

I AM not an Aston Villa supporter, but I do admire their young striker Gary Shaw.

I believe Ron Greenwood should give him a chance on the international stage by selecting him to play for England in their forthcoming friendly against

People will say that he lacks experience and is not ready for full England duty - but I believe he has the class to beat the best.

We are far too cautious with our young stars. Bernd Schuster (W. Germany) and Diego Maradona (Argentina) have not suffered from early full international appearances. Peter Braund (15), Chelmsford.

Your views on England's next centre-half

WHO will replace Dave Watson of Southampton as the England centre-half?

Following 'Match Weekly's' feature on the likely contenders in our December 13 issue, here's a selection of your views on the

Dave is still the best

WATSON's not finished yet! It annoys me to see people writing him off because he had a poor game for England in

Rumania — his first in 58.

I watch the Saints home games and for me Dave is still the best defender around and outclasses his so-called rivals. Oliver Bunce (13), Christchurch.

Backing

TERRY BUTCHER of Ipswich is

This season he has kept the top strikers in the First Division quiet whenever they have faced him and he deserves his chance.

Dave Watson, he never gets caught out by fast running forwards.

Butcher

the next man for the England number five shirt.

He is a good tackler and, unlike

Paul Webb, Thorneywood, Notts.

Give Terry the job

BUTCHER's the boy! Terry Butcher of Ipswich should be given Dave Watson's England job.

He has so much skill and is effective both on the ground and in the air. He will do a good job. Robert Highfield, West Bromwich.

Foster for me

BRIGHTON's young defender Steve Foster should be given a chance to prove himself in the England centre-half role.

He is good in the air, and on the ground and is my choice to Robert Heath, Goddards Green, Hassocks, Sussex

Don't forget Osman

MATCH missed out two of the clear-cut contenders when they named their centre-half replacements for Dave Watson.

I'm talking about Russell Osman (Ipswich) and Shaun Elliott (Sunderland).

Neil Westray (15), Tyne and Wear



popular choice

OUTRA

I'M Anthony Hawkswell and I'm in charge of the Outraged column.

I'll stand no nonsense . . . any back chat and you could get sent off!

I'll be giving the red card to what I judge to be the letter of the week. And yellow cards to any others

And to make it more interesting I'll pay £5 for the red

card and £2 for each yellow card.

But be warned. I'm the ref and my decisions stand! Send your letters to Outraged, Match Weekly, Midgate House, Midgate, Peterborough.

Sneaky Spaniards

I AM outraged at the sneaky way Valencia win trophies. They only just managed to beat

Arsenal on penalties in the final of the European Cup-Winners Cup, last season and had to rely on the 'away goals' rule to beat

Nottingham Forest in the Super

Cup recently.

Come on Valencia — win your next trophy outright! Paul Healy (10), Southgate,

YOU'RE obviously a Forest fan

who can't take defeat like a man. Forest should have stuffed the Spaniards in Nottingham and Arsenal had their chances in Brussels. You're booked!



Player ratings

10 — Out of this world 9 — Outstanding

8 - Excellent

7 - Good 6 - Adequate

5 — Off form

4 - Poor

Match rating

**** A classic *** Good value
** Satisfactory

** Dull

* Waste of money

Saturday, Dec. 27 SCOTTISH

Premier Division

DUNDEE UNITED (1) 4 (Sturrock 32, 79, Milne 66, 68) HEARTS (1) 1 (Gibson 2) Att: 6.928 Dundee Utd: McAlpine 7, Holt 6, Kopel 7, Phillip 7, Hegarty 7, Narey 7, ★BANNON 8, Gibson 7, Sturrock 7, Milne 7, Dodds 6. Hearts: Brough 7, More 6, Shields 7, Denny 6, McVie 6, Robinson 7, Masterton 7, O'Brien 7, ★O'CONNOR 8, Hammill 6, Gibson

Referee: A. McGunnigle (Glasgow) Match Rating: ★★★

MORTON (0) 2 (Tolmie 77, Hutchison 84) PARTICK (0) 0 Att: 6,000 Att: 6,000
Morton: Baines 7, Hayes 7, Holmes 6, Rooney 7, Orr 7, McLaughlin 6, Busby 6 (sub. Hutchison 7),

*McNEIL 8, Thomson 6, Tolmie 7, Ritchie 7 Partick: Rough 7, Doyle 6, Whittaker 7, Campbell 7, Anderson 6, Jardine 6, Park 7 (sub. McDonald), *O'HARA 8, Torrance 7, Watson 7, Clark 6.

Referee: B. McGinley (Balfron) Match Rating: ★★★

AIRDRIE v KILMARNOCK — Match Postponed; RANGERS v ST MIRREN — Match Postponed

First Division

AYR (1) 1 (Fleeting 31) DUNDEE (0) 0 Att: 4,026

HAMILTON (0) 1 (Fairlie 87) EAST STIRLING (0) 0

HIBERNIAN (3) 3 (MacLeod 25, 29, Connolly 30) STIRLING (0) 0 Att: 5.016

ST JOHNSTONE (1) 2 (Docherty 14. **DUMBARTON (0) 0** Att: 2.058

CLYDEBANK v RAITH -Postponed; DUNFERMLINE v
BERWICK — Match Postponed;
FALKIRK v MOTHERWELL — Match

Second Division

ARBROATH (0) 1 (Hyslop 65) QUEEN OF THE SOUTH (1) 2

(McCann 35, Robertson 77) Att: 600

BRECHIN (0) 3 (Henderson 53, Paterson 55, Graham 89) CLYDE (1) 1 (Kinnear 20) Att: 500

EAST FIFE (0) 0 FORFAR (0) 0 Att: 616

MEADOWBANK (0) 0 STRANRAER (0) 1 (Brown 85) Att: 100

COWDENBEATH v ALLOA - Match Postponed; QUEENS PARK v MONTROSE — Match Postponed; STENHOUSEMUIR v ALBION — Match Postponed.

Tuesday, Dec. 30 SCOTTISH

Premier Division

ABERDEEN (0) 1 (Scanlon, pen 82) DUNDEE UNITED (1) 1 (Dodds 39) Att: 25,000 Aberdeen: Leighton 7, Kennedy 6, Considine 6, Watson 7, McLeish 7, Miller 6, Strachan 7, McCall 6 (sub. Miller 6, Strachan 7, McCall 6 (sub. Hewitt 6), ★McGHEE 8, Bell 6 (sub. Angus 6), Scanlon 6.

Dundee Utd: McAlpine 7, Holt 7, Kopel 7, Phillip 6, Hegarty 7, Narey 7, Bannon 8, Milne 7, Gibson 7, Sturrock 8, ★DODDS 9.

Referee: A. Waddell (Penicuick) Match Rating: ★★★★

Thursday, Jan. 1 SCOTTISH

Premier Division

HEARTS (0) 2 (Gibson 58, O'Brien AIRDRIE (0) 3 (Rodger 70, McCulloch 85, 86) Att: 9,000 Hearts: Brough 7, Moore 6, Shields 7, Denny 6, McVie 7, Masterton 7, Hamill 6, Gibson 6, Conn 6, O'Brien 7, *MacDONALD 8. 7, ★MacDUNALD 7, Cairney 6, Rodger 6, Walker 7, Anderson, G 6, Anderson N 6, ★RUSSELL 8, Clark 7, McCluskey 6, Gordon 6, McGuire 7. Referee: W. Hamilton (Glasgow) Match Rating: ★★★

KILMARNOCK (1) 1 (Hughes 56 CELTIC (2) 2 (McGarvey 3, 43) Att: 7,600
Kilmarnock: Wilson 7, McLean 6, Cockburn 7, McClurg 6, Armstrong 6, Clarke 6, *HOUSTON 8, Gibson 7, Bourke 6, Wilson 6, Hughes 7.
Celtic: Bonnar 7, McGrain 7, Reid 6, Sullivan 6, McAdam 7, Aitken 7, Provan 7, Weir 7, ★McGARVEY 8, Burne 6, Nicholas 7. Referee: J. Timmons (Kilwinning) Match Rating: ★★★

MORTON (0) 1 (Ritchie, pen 49) ST MIRREN (3) 3 (McCormack 4, Somner 37, Weir 38) Att: 8,000 Morton: Baines 7, Hayes 6, Holmes 6, Rooney 7, McLaughlin 7, Orr 6, McNeill 7, Busby 7, ★THOMSON 8, Tolmie 6, Ritchie 6. St Mirren: Thomson 7, Young 6, Beckett 7, McCormack 7, Fulton 6, *COPLAND 8, Bone 7, Stark 6, Somner 5, Richardson 7, Weir 6. Referee: E. Pringle (Edinburgh) Match Rating: ***

RANGERS (1) 1 (McAdam 32) PARTICK (0) 1 (O'Hara 48) Att: 16,000 Rangers: McCloy 7, Jardine 6, Dawson 6, Miller 7, Johnstone 7, *BETT 8, McLean 5, Russell 6, McAdam 6, Redford 6, Cooper 5 (sub. MacDonald 6).

Partick: Rough 7, Welsh 6, Whittaker 7, ★CAMPBELL 8, Anderson 7, Watson 7, Park 6, Jardine 7, Sweeney 6, Doyle 7, O'Hara 6.
Referee: D. Syme (Glasgow)
Match Rating: ***

First Division

BERWICK RANGERS (0) 0 HIBERNIAN (2) 2 (MacLeod 21, Duncan 42)

DUMBARTON (1) 1 (Brown 36) CLYDEBANK (1) 1 (Sharkey 17)

DUNDEE (1) 2 (Sinclair 17, Stephen ST JOHNSTONE (1) 2 (Morton 38, Pelosi 64) Att: 3,500

EAST STIRLING (0) 0 FALKIRK (0) 0 Att: 1,050

MOTHERWELL (1) 1 (McLaughlin HAMILTON (2) 3 (McManus 5, Wright 24, Howie 64) Att: 1,200

RAITH ROVERS (0) 1 (Ballantyne DUNFERMLINE (0) 0 Att: 1.750

STIRLING (0) 1 (Armstrong, pen 67) **AYR (1) 1** (Fleeting 31) Att: 950

Second Division

ALBION (0) 2 (Hill 55, pen 78) MEADOWBANK (0) 1 (McCallan 86) Att: 650

ALLOA (2) 3 (McIntosh 12, McComb 17, Morrison 86) STENHOUSEMUIR (1) 2 (Hancock 35. 78) Att: 870

BRECHIN (1) 3 (Patterson 42, Campbell 67, 69) MONTROSE (1) 1 (Johnstone 42) Att: 940

COWDENBEATH (0) 1 (Halley, og EAST FIFE (0) 1 (Burton 74) Att: 650

QUEEN OF THE SOUTH (1) 3 (Gordon 19, Robertson 56, Alexander STRANRAER (0) 0 Att: 450

Postponed matches: Clyde v Queen's Park; Forfar v Arbroath.

Friday, Jan. 2 **Division Three**

READING (0) 3 (Kearney 74, Sanchez 82, Dixon 86) CHESTER (0) 0 Att: 3.804 Reading: Death 6, Williams 6, Lewis 6, Bowman 5 (sub. Dixon 6), Hicks 6, Hetzke 6, Earles 6, Kearney 5, Webb 7, ★SANCHEZ 8, Joslyn 6.
Chester: Millington 6, Jeffries 5,
Walker 5, Storton 6, Cottam 5, Oakes
6, ★SUTCLIFFE 7, Jones 6, Fear 6, Cooke 5, Ludlam 5.

Referee: A. Gunn (Burgess Hill)

Match Rating: ***

Saturday, Jan. 3 FA Cup Third Round

BARNSLEY (1) 2 (Parker 26, 54) TORQUAY (1) 1 (Lawrence 1) Att: 14,431 Barnsley: Pierce 7, Joyce 6, Barnsley: Pierce /, Joyce 6, Chambers 6, Glavin 6, Banks 7, McCarthy 7, Evans 6, ★PARKER 8, Aylott 7, Lester 7, Downes 6. Torquay: O'Keefe 6, Jones 6, Pethard 7, Coffill 6, Wilson 7, Rioch 7, Fell 6, ★LAWRENCE 8, Cooper 6, Twitchin 7, Weston 7, 7, Weston 7. Referee: R. Toseland (Market Harborough)
Match Rating: ★★★

BIRMINGHAM (1) 1 (Bertschin 43) SUNDERLAND (0) 1 (Chisholm 81) Att: 23,098 Birmingham: Wealands 6, Langan 6, Lees 6, Curbishley 7, Gallagher 6, Todd 7, Ainscow 6, Bertschin 6, *WORTHINGTON 8, Gemmill 6, Dillon 6. Sunderland: *TURNER 8,
Whitworth 6, Bolton 6, Hindmarch 6,
Elliott 7, Rowell 6, Arnott 7, Cooke 6
(sub. Brown 7), Hawley 6, Chisholm 6, Cummins 7.

Referee: B. H. Daniels (Brentwood)

Match Rating: ★★★

BURY (0) 1 (Hilton 75) FULHAM (0) 1 (Mahoney 79) Att: 5,360 Bury: Southall 7, Howard 7, Hilton 7, Whitehead 6, ★KENNEDY 9, Gore 6, Jakub 8, Butler 6, Johnson 6, Farley Fulham: Peyton 7, Strong 6, *HATTER 8, Banton 7, Lock 6, O'Driscoll 6, Greenaway 7, Gale 6, Goodlass 7, Davies 7, Mahoney 7. Referee: B. Hill (Kettering) Match Rating: ***

COLCHESTER (0) 0 WATFORD (1) 1 (Poskett 19) Att: 7,769 Colchester: Walker 6, Cook 6, Longhorn 6, Leslie 7, *WIGNALL 8, Packer 6, Hodge 6, Foley 7, Bremner 7, Lee 7, Allinson 6. Watford: Sherwood 7, Rice 6, Harrison 6, Taylor 6, Sims 7, ★JACKETT 8, Callaghan 6, Armstrong 6, Blissett 7, Train 7, Poskett 7. Referee: J. Martin (Alton) Match Rating: ★★★★

DERBY (0) 0 BRISTOL CITY (0) 0 Att: 19,071 Derby: Jones 6, Emery 6, Richards 7, Derby: Jones 6, Emery 6, Richards 7, Clark 5 (sub. Reid), *McFARLAND 8, Ramage 7, Powell, S 7, Hector 6, Biley 6, Swindlehurst 7, Emson 6. Bristol City: Shaw 7, *SWEENEY 8, Hay 6, Aitken 7, Rodgers 7, Marshall 7, Tainton 6, Fitzpatrick 6, Mabbutt 6, Garland 7, Pritchard 6. Referee: D. W. Lloyd (Fernhill Heath) Match Rating: ★★★

EVERTON (0) 2 (Sansom, og 84, ARSENAL (0) 0 Att: 34,240 Everton: McDonagh 6, Gidman 7, Bailey 7, Wright 7, Ratcliffe 6, Ross 6, *McMAHON 9, Eastoe 6, Varadi 7

MATCH WEEKLY

Arsenal: Jennings 6, Devine 6, Sansom 6, Talbot 6 (sub. McDermott), O'Leary 6, Young 6, Hollins 6, Sunderland 7, Stapleton 6, Gatting 6,

★RIX 8.
Referee: A. Grey (Gt. Yarmouth)
Match Rating: ★★★

HUDDERSFIELD (0) 0 SHREWSBURY (1) 3 (Topping, og 33, Cross 47, Bates 77) Att: 14,712 Att: 14,712

Huddersfield: Rankin 7 (sub. Robins 6), Brown 6, Robinson 6, Stanton 5, Sutton 6, Topping 6, Lillis 5, Kennedy 6, Austin 5, *KINDON 8, Cowling 6. Shrewsbury: Wardle 7, King 7, Leonard 7, Turner 7, Griffin 7, Keay 6, Tong 6, Atkins 7, Bates 6, *PETTS 8 (sub. McClaren), Cross 6.

Referee: K. Walmsley (Blackpool) Match Rating: ****

HULL (0) 1 (Deacy 48)
DONCASTER (0) 0
Att: 10,709
Hull: Norman 7, Hoolickin 5, Croft 6, Hull: Norman 7, Hoolickin 5, Croft 6, Richards 6, Ferguson 5, Roberts, G 5, Marwood 5, *McCLAREN 8, Edwards 6, Norrie 6, Deacy 6. Doncaster: Boyd 6, Russell 5, Snodin, I 6, Lister 5, Saunders 6, Mell 6, Pugh 7, Snodin, G 8, Nimmo 6, *WARBOYS 9, Little 6. Referee: D. Shaw (Sandbach) Match Rating: ★★★

IPSWICH (1) 1 (Mariner 14) ASTON VILLA (0) 0 Att: 27,721 Ipswich: Cooper 7, Burley 7, Mills 8, Thijssen 7, Osman 7, ★BUTCHER 9, Wark 7, Muhren 7, Mariner 7, Brazil 8 Gates 7 8, Gates 7.

Aston Villa: Rimmer 7, Swain 7,
Williams 7, Evans 8, McNaught 7,

*MORTIMER 9, Bremner 7, Shaw
8, Withe 8, Cowans 7, Morley 6 (sub. Geddis 6).
Referee: G. Courtney (Spennymoor)
Match Rating: ****

PETERBOROUGH (0) 1 (Cooke 85) CHESTERFIELD (0) 1 (Crawford 79) Att: 8,631 Att: 8,631

Peterborough: Waugh 7, McVay 6,
Phillips 6, Gynn 6, Slack 7, Slough 7,
Guy 6 (sub. Cliss), Kellock 6,
*COOKE 8, Hodgson 6, Robson 6.
Chesterfield: Turner 6, Tartt 7,
Pollard 6, Wilson 6, Green 7, Hunter
6, Birch 6, Simpson 7,
*BONNYMAN 8, Salmons 6,
Crawford 6 Crawford 6.
Referee: G. Tyson (Sunderland)
Match Rating: ***

PLYMOUTH (1) 1 (Kemp 11) CHARLTON (0) 2 (Powell 47, Hales Att: 9.499 Att: 9,499
Plymouth: Crudgington 6, McNeill 4,
Harrison 5, Hodges 6, PhillipsonMasters 7, *FOSTER 8, Cooper 6,
Kemp 7, Sims 7, Bason 5, Murphy 5.
Charlton: *JOHNS 9, Gritt 6,
Madden 7, Shaw 7, Berry 6, Tydeman
6 (sub. Robinson 5), Powell 5, Walker
6, Hales 5, Walsh 7, Naylor 6.
Referee: E. Read (Bristol)
Match Rating: *** Match Rating: ★★★

PORT VALE (0) 1 (Beech 70) ENFIELD (1) 1 (Bishop 40) Att: 5,538 Att: 5,538
Port Vale: Cherry 6, Griffiths 6,
*MILLER 8, Beech 7, Bowles 7,
Elsby 6, Farrell 6, Bennett 5 (sub.
Jones, S 6), Chamberlain, N 6,
Chamberlain, M 6, Bromage 6,
Enfield: Jacobs 7, Wade 6, Tone 6,
Jennings 6, Waite 7 (sub. Holmes 6),
Howell 7, Oliver 6, Ashford 6, Burton
7, *BISHOP 8, King 7. Referee: K. W. Baker (Rugby) Match Rating: ★★★

PRESTON (0) 3 (Houston 60, Bruce

64, McGee 84)
BRISTOL ROVERS (4) 4 (Mabbutt 5, Barrowclough 6, Barrett 36, Williams 44) Att: 6,248 Att: 6,248
Preston: *TUNKS 8, Taylor 6,
McAteer 6, Burns 5 (sub. McGee 6),
Baxter 7, O'Riordan 5, Doyle 6,
Coleman 6, Elliott 6, Bruce 7,
Houston 7. Houston 7.

Bristol Rovers: Kite 7, Gillies 6,
Jones 6, Hughes 6, McCaffery 6,
Emmanuel 7, Williams, G 7,
Barrowclough 7, Lee 6, *MABBUTT 8. Barrett 7 Referee: A. Saunders (Newcastleupon-Tyne)
Match Rating: ★★★

QPR (0) 0 TOTTENHAM (0) 0 Att: 28,829 QPR: Burridge 7, Shanks 7, Gillard 6, Fenwick 7, ***WICKS 8**, Roeder 7, Flanagan 6, King 6, Stainrod 6, Waddock 6, Silkman 7. Waddock O, SIRMan J.

Spurs: Daines 6, Yorath 6, Miller 5,
Roberts 6, Lacy 6, Perryman 7,
Brooke 7, Archibald 7, Villa 7 (sub.
Galvin 6), ★HODDLE 8, Crooks 7.
Referee: P. G. Reeves (Leicester)
Match Rating: ★★★

SOUTHAMPTON (2) 3 (Moran 6, Keegan 40, Baker 77) CHELSEA (0) 1 (Lee 81) Att: 23,694 Att: 23,694

Southampton: Wells 6, *GOLAC 8,

Holmes 7, Williams 6, Watson 6,

Nicholl 6, Keegan 6 (sub. Hebbard 6),

Channon 7, George 6, Moran 7, Baker

Chelsea: Borota 6, Locke 6, Rofe 7, Bumstead 6 (sub, Driver 7), Droy 6, Chivers 6, *BRITTON 8, Fillery 5, Lee 6, Walker 5, Rhoades-Brown 6. Referee: C. Thomas (Porthcawl) Match Rating: ★★★

STOKE (1) 2 (Chapman 30, Bracewell 51) WOLVES (2) 2 (Eves 28, Hibbitt 38) Att: 24,737
Stoke: Fox 7, Evans 6, Hampton 7,
Dodd 6, O'Callaghan 7, Doyle 6,

*BRACEWELL 8, Heath 7, Chapman
7, Richardson 7, Munro 7.
Wolves: Bradshaw 7, Palmer 7,
Hollifield 7, Daniel 7, Brazier 6, Berry
5, Hibbitt 7, Atkinson 7, Bell 6,
Richards 7, *EVES 8.
Referee: C. White (Middlesex)
Match Rating: *** Att: 24,737

43, Angus 45, Hodgson 69, 80, Cochrane 71) Cochrane 71)
Att: 18,015
Swansea: Stewart 6, Attley 5,
Hadziabdic 6, *RUSHBURY 7,
Stevenson 5, Phillips 5, Mahoney 6,
James 6, Curtis 6, Charles 5 (sub.
Giles 6), Robinson 6.
Middlesbrough: Platt 6, Craggs 5,
Bailey 7, Angus 7, Ashcroft 7,
Nattrass 7, Cochrane 6, Proctor 7,
*HODGSON 8, Shearer 7,
McAndrew 7. McAndrew 7. Referee: J. B. Worrall (Warrington) Match Rating: ★★★

SWANSEA (0) 0 MIDDLESBROUGH (2) 5 (Ashcroft

WBA (1) 3 (Robson 40, Cowdrill 54, Barnes 63) GRIMSBY (0) 0 Att: 22,477 WBA: Godden 6, Batson 6, Cowdrill 7, Moses 7, Wile 6, Bennett 8, Robson 8, Brown, A 6 (sub. Mills), Regis 7, *OWEN 9, Barnes 7, Grimsby: Batch 6, Stone 7, Crombie 7, *WATERS 9, Wiggington 7,

Moore 6, Brolly 7 (sub. Ford 7), Whymark 6, Drinkell 8, Mitchell 6, Cumming 6.
Referee: C. Maskell (Cambridge) Match Rating: ***

WEST HAM (0) 1 (Stewart, pen 57) WREXHAM (0) 1 (Davis 87) Att: 30 137 Att: 30,137
West Ham: Parkes 7, Stewart 8,
Lampard 6, Bonds 7, Martin 8,
*DEVONSHIRE 9, Holland 7,
Goddard 6, Cross 6, Brooking 7, Pike

Wrexham: Davies 7, Hill 7, Jones 7, ★DAVIS 8, Cegielski 7, Arkwright 6, Buxton 6, Sutton 5, Edwards 6, McNeil 6, Cartwright 6. Referee: A. J. Hamil (Wolverhampton)
Match Rating: ★★★

WIMBLEDON (0) 0 OLDHAM (0) 0 Att: 4 693 Att: 4,693
Wimbledon: Beasant 7, Jones 7,
Armstrong 7, ★GALLIERS 8, Smith
7, Cunningham 7 (sub. Downes 7),
Ketteridge 7, Denny 6, Leslie 6, Cork
6, Hubbick 7.
Oldham: Platt 7, Edwards 7, Blair 7,
Keegan 7, Clements 7, Hurst 6, Wylde
6, Futcher 7, Steel 6, Palmer 7,
★KOWENICKI 8.

Referee: M. R. Baker (Wolverhampton) Match Rating: ★★★
Sending Off: Futcher (Oldham)

LEEDS (0) 1 (Hird, pen 81) COVENTRY (1) 1 (Thomas 30) Att: 24,523 Leeds: Lukic 6, Greenhoff 6 (sub. Leeds: Lukic 6, Greenhoff 6 (sub. Hamson 6), Gray 7, Flynn 6, Hart 7, *CHERRY 8, Parlane 6, Hird 7, Connor 6, Sabella 6, Graham 7. Coventry: Sealey 6, Thomas 7, Roberts 6, Blair 7, Dyson 7, Gillespie 7, Bannister 6 (sub. Jacobs), *DALY 8, Thompson 6, Hateley 6, Hunt 7. Referee: P. Partridge (Co. Durham) Match Rating: ***
Sending Off: Thomas (Coventry)

LEICESTER (1) 3 (Lineker 30, Buchanan 53, Melrose 85) CARDIFF (0) 0 Att: 17,527 Leicester: Wallington 6, Williams 6, Gibson 6, Peake 6, Scott 7, O'Neill 7, Lineker 8, Buchanan, D 8 (sub. Melrose), Young 8, ★WILSON 9,

Melrose), Young 8, *WILSON 9,
MacDonald 7.
Cardiff: *HEALEY 8, Jones 6, Lewis
6, Hughes 7, Pontin 7, Thomas 6
(sub. Micaleff 6), Giles 7, Kitchen 7,
Stevens 6, Ronson 7, Buchanan, J 6.
Referee: D. V. Reeves (Uxbridge)
Match Rating: ****

LIVERPOOL (2) 4 (McDermott 27, Dalglish 39, 54, Kennedy, R 88) ALTRINCHAM (0) 1 (Heathcote, pen 71) Att: 37,170 Att: 37,170
Liverpool: Clemence 7, Neal 7,
Kennedy, A 6, Irwin 7, Kennedy, R 7,
Money 8, Dalglish 8, Lee 7, Johnson
7, McDermott 7, ★CASE 9,
Altrincham: Connaughton 8, Allan 7, Davison 7, Bailey 6 (sub. Whitbread 7), Ownes 7, King 7, Barrow 7, Heathcote 8, Johnson 7, *ROGERS 9, Howard 7 Referee: T. Farley (Co. Durham)
Match Rating: ***

MAIDSTONE (0) 2 (Woon 50, Ovard **EXETER (1) 4** (Pullar 33, 53, Kellow 47, Rogers, P 74) Att: 6,310 Att: 6,310

Maidstone: Guy 5, Thompson 6,
Kinnear 7, Hill 7 (sub. Shield), Hutton
8, Hamberger 5, Daubney 6,

*OVARD 9, Woon 7, Wilkshire 6, Newson 6. Exeter: Bond 6, Rogers, M 7, Hatch 7. Forbes 7, Roberts, L 7, Roberts, P 7, Rogers, P 7, Kellow 8, Pearson 7, Delve 7, ★PULLAR 9. Referee: A. Robinson (Waterlooville) Match Rating: ★★★

MANCHESTER CITY (0) 4 (Reeves pen 54, 89, Power 60, Boyer 82) CRYSTAL PALACE (0) 0 Att: 39,347 Att: 39,347

Man City: Corrigan 7, Ranson 7,
McDonald 6, *REID 9, Power 6,
Caton 6, Boyer 6, Gow 6, Mackenzie
7, Hutchison 8, Reeves 7.
Crystal Palace: Fry 6, Hinshelwood 6,
Boyle 6, Nicholas 6 (sub. Goodchild),
Cannon 6, Gilbert 7, *MURPHY 8,
Lovell 6, Sealy 6, Walsh 6, Smillie 6.
Referee: K Hackett (Sheffield) Referee: K. Hackett (Sheffield)
Match Rating: ***

MANCHESTER UNITED (0) 2 (Duxbury 72, Thomas 77)

BRIGHTON (2) 2 (Horton 12, Ritchie Att: 42,199 Man Utd: Bailey 5, Nicholl 6, Albiston 5, McIlroy 5 (sub. Duxbury 7), Jovanovic 6, Moran 6, *COPPELL 8, Birtles 6, Jordan 7, Macari 7, Thomas 6. Brighton: Moseley 6, Gregory 7, Stevens 6, Horton 7, Foster 6, *LAWRENSON 8, McNab 6, Ritchie 6, Robinson 6, Clark 6, O'Sullivan 6. Referee: A. Seville (Birmingham)

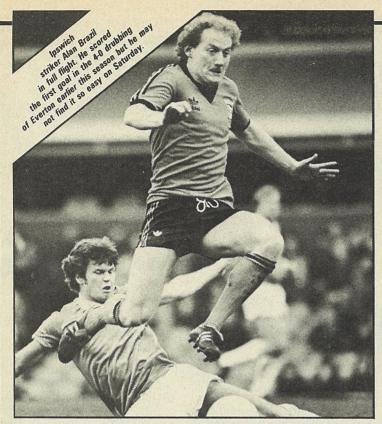
Match Rating: ★★★★ MANSFIELD (1) 2 (Bird 31, Parkinson 57)
CARLISLE (0) 2 (Bannon 55, Bird, og Att: 5 598 Mansfield: Arnold 6, McJannet 5, Mansteld: Arnold 6, McClannet 5, Wood 5, Hamilton 6, McClelland 5, ★BIRD 8, Pollard 5, Mann 6, Caldwell 5, Parkinson 7, Thomson 5. Carlisle: Harrison 6, Haigh 6, Coady 5, McDonald 6, Campbell 7, Parker 5, ★COUGHLIN 8, Metcalfe 5, Bannon 6, Beardsley 5, Staniforth 6. Referee: D. Mills (Barnsley)

NEWCASTLE (1) 2 (Waddle 14, 60) SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY (1) 1 (Pearson 22) Att: 22,499 Newcastle: Carr 7, Carney 7, Johnson 7, Martin 6, Boam 7, Halliday 7, Shinton 7, Trewick 6, Clarke 6, Wharton 7, *WADDLE 8. Sheff Wed: Bolder 6, Blackhall 7, Grant 6 (sub. Mirocevic 5), Smith 6, Shirtliff 7, Sterland 6, Pearson 7, Johnson 6, Leman 6, McCulloch 7, ★CURRAN 8. Referee: M. G. Peck (Doncaster) Match Rating: ★★

Match Rating: ★★★

NORWICH (0) 1 (Downs 54) CAMBRIDGE (0) 0 Att: 18,420 Att: 18,420
Norwich: Baker 7, McDowell 7,
Downs 7, *McGUIRE 9, Hoadley 7,
Watson 8, Mendham 6, Fashanu 6,
Royle 7, Paddon 8, Goble 6.
Cambridge: Key 7, Donaldson 7,
Murray 6, Smith 6, Fallon 7, Finney 6,
Streete 6, *SPRIGGS 9, Reilly 7,
Taylor 7, Christie 7 (sub. Gibbins).
Referee: G. J. Napthine
(Loughborough)
Match Rating: ***

NOTTINGHAM FOREST (1) 3 (Francis 32, 68, Ponte 83) BOLTON (1) 3 (Hoggan 40, 54, Whatmore 69) Att: 22,920 Nottm Forest: Shilton 6, Anderson 7, Gray 7, McGovern 6, Lloyd 6, Gunn 7, O'Neill 7, Ponte 7, ★FRANCIS 8, Wallace 7, Robertson 7. Bolton: Peacock 6, Graham 7, McElhinney 6, Wilson 7, Jones 6



Villa look a Shaw this

ASTON VILLA scoring sensation Gary Shaw steps out against Midland rivals Coventry on Saturday bidding to land his own personal double over the League Cup semi-finalists.

It was a Shaw special that sank Coventry when Villa beat them 1-0 at Highfield Road earlier this season.

And five months later he remains the most likely Villa forward to hit the back of the net.

Whether or not Gary is successful in getting on the scoresheet this time around, I fancy Villa to keep up their push for the championship by taking two points.

Meanwhile IPSWICH — the other main

challengers for LIVERPOOL's crown - may have to settle for a share of the spoils at Goodison Park.

Ipswich thrashed Everton 4-0 at Portman Road with goals from Alan Brazil, John Wark, Terry Butcher and current first choice England centre-forward Paul Mariner, who finds himself in competition with the man who was once rated England's best in that position - Everton's Bob Latchford.

Here are my ten predicted scorelines for Saturday. There's a space for your forecasts, one for dad and a column for the actual results.

You get two points for every score you get right and one point if you get a result right (i.e home, away or draw) but the scoreline

wrong. Carry your points total forward each week.

Match	My forecast	Your forecast	Dad's forecast	RESULT
Coventry v Aston Villa	1-2			
Everton v Ipswich	1-1			
Spurs v Arsenal	2-0			
Notts Co. v West Ham	0-1			
Q.P.R. v Chelsea	2-1			
Blackpool v Reading	0-0			
Carlisle v Exeter	0-2			
Rochdale v Doncaster	1-0			
Torquay v Hartlepool	1-3			
Aberdeen v Kilmarnock	4-0			

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Coventry for the second time.

But I don't think the Suffolk outfit - many fans' choice as favourites for the title — will find the Merseysiders such an easy touch. So much for the Midlands and North.

The match that's sure to pull in one of the biggest crowds of the day is the London derby between old rivals SPURS and ARSENAL at White Hart Lane.

It's a game that throws together two of the best striking partnerships in the First Division — Alan Sunderland and Frank Stapleton of Arsenal and Garth Crooks and Steve Archibald of Spurs.

I'm going for the Tottenham duo to avenge Spurs 2-0 defeat at Highbury earlier this season.

In the Second Division, there's another London derby game between the improving Q.P.R. and inconsistent CHELSEA.

Rangers have been playing their own version of new faces this season, but the players that manager Terry Venables has bought must go down as some of the best bargains of the season and I take them to sneak it.

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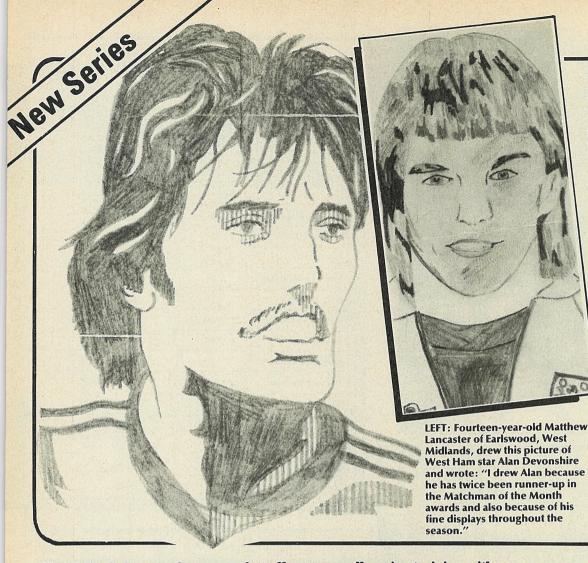
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BELOW: Neil Tristram of Arnold, Notts, drew this picture of Nottingham Forest star Trevor Francis and says: "Trevor should be in Star Gallery because he scored in his first League match after his ankle injury.



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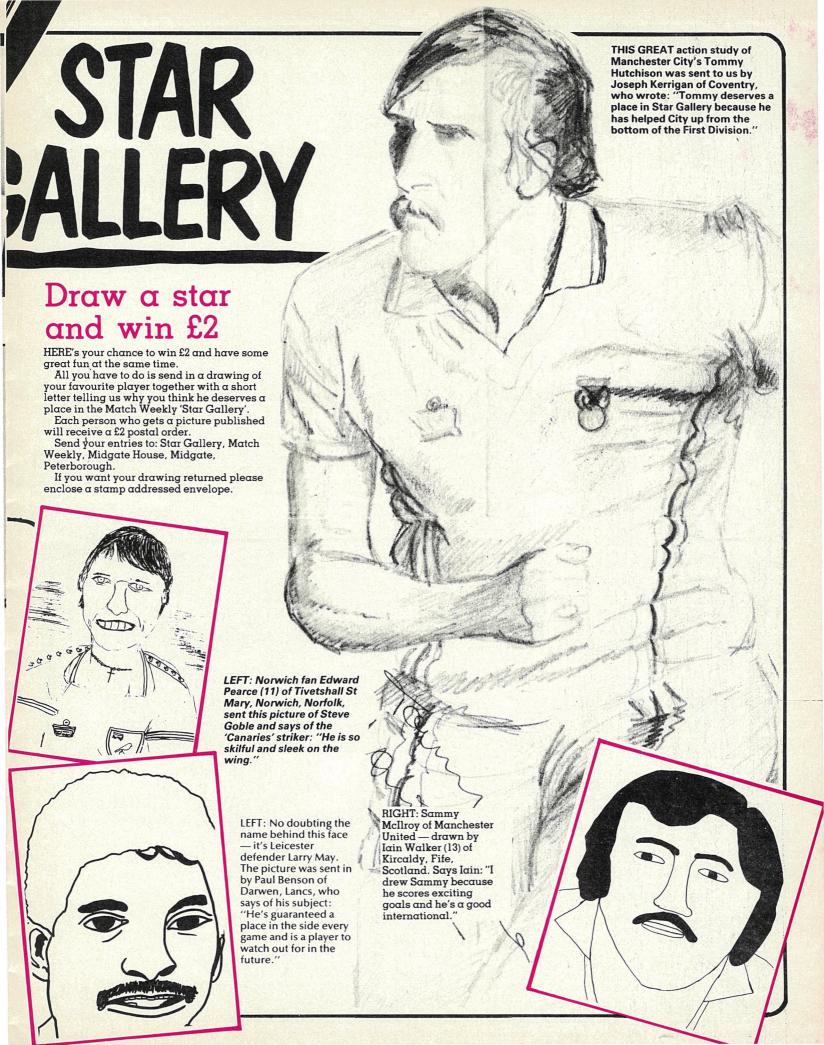
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"I HAVE never hit anything sweeter," Brian Greenhoff recalled, when describing the goal which ended Forest's run of four Elland Road victories and completed Leeds' first hat-trick of League wins in two years.

The former England defender added: "It was my first goal for Leeds and I'm glad it counted for so much. In fact I nearly didn't play, as I had been ill all week.

"Eddie Gray took a free-kick on the left, and Viv Anderson headed it away, but it fell just right for me and I struck it right-footed into the top corner.

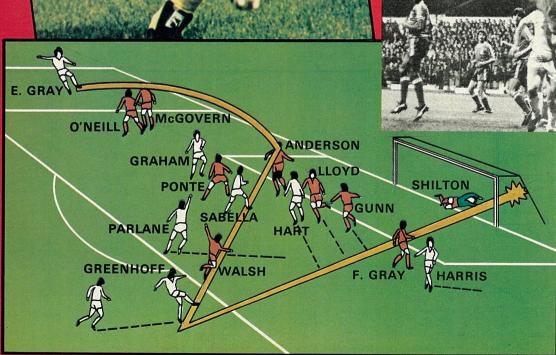
"It was my first since I scored for Manchester United in the FA Cup semi-final against Liverpool 18 months ago," said Brian.

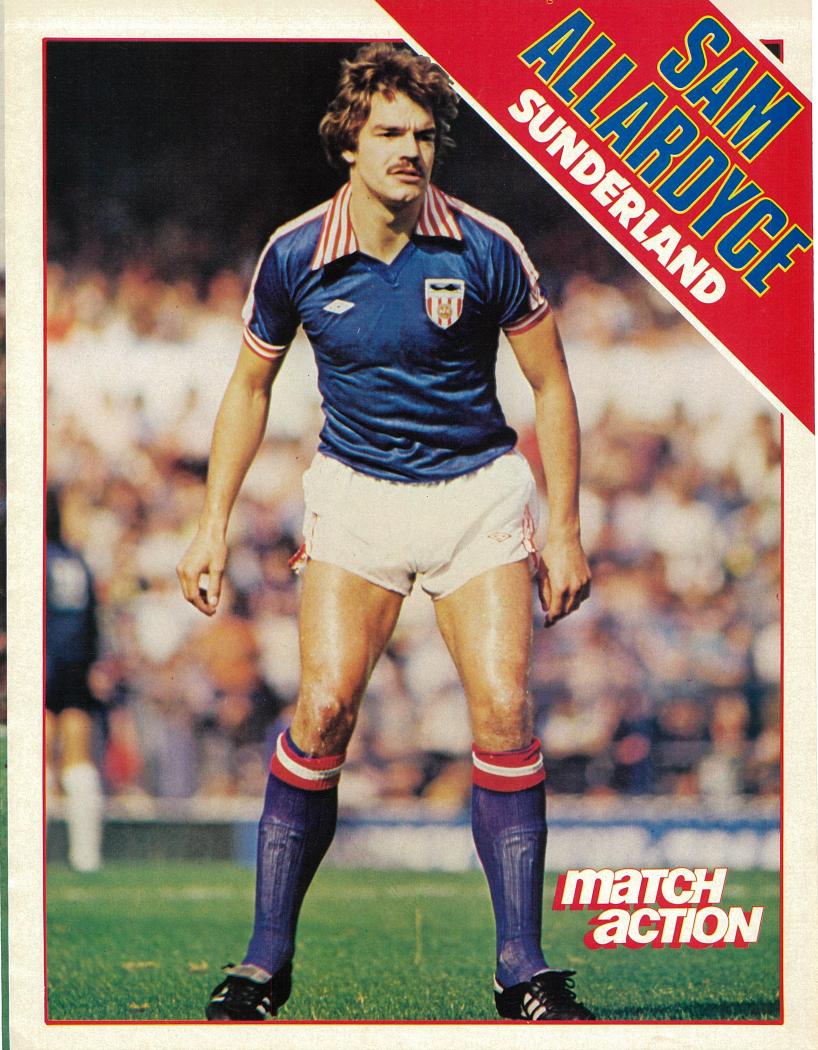


Above: Peter Shilton stretches in vain to reach Brian Greenhoff's blistering shot as Arthur Graham looks on.

NEXT WEEK

Trevor Francis strikes back for Forest









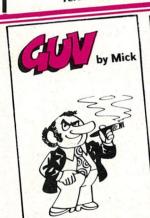
"I suppose this means I won't be released to play for the Under-21's?"

"Don't just stand there — stop him." LATE in the second half of a dreary evening game there was a floodlight failure and a voice from the crowd moaned: "That's all we need — bad play stops light."

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(sub. Nicholson 7), Brennan 7, Nikolic 6, Whatmore 7, ★HOGGAN 8, Kidd 7, Gowling 7. Referee: T. G. Bune (Cranleigh) Match Rating: ★★★

NOTTS COUNTY (1) 2 (Manns 17, Christie 81) BLACKBURN (1) 1 (Burke 8) Att: 7,885
Notts County: Leonard 8, Benjamin 7, Wood 6, Hunt 7, Kilcline 6, *BEAVON 9, Manns 7, Masson 7, Christie 7, Harkouk 6, Hooks 7.
Blackburn: Butcher 6, Branagan 6, De Vries 7, McKenzie 6, Keeley 7, Fazackerley 6, *BROTHERSTON 8, Stonehouse 7, Crawford 7, Burke 7, Parkes 6 (sub. Garner 7). Parkes 6 (sub. Garner 7).

Referee: N. J. Ashley (Nantwich)

Match Rating: ***

ORIENT (0) 1 (Jennings 88) LUTON (0) 3 (Moss, pen 51, 60, Ingram 50 50) Att: 9,891 Att: 9,891
Orient: Day 6, Hughton 7, Roffey 6,
Taylor, T 6, Gray 6, Parsons 7,
Chiedozie 7, Moores 5, Jennings 6,
★BOWLES 8, Taylor, P 6.
Luton: Findlay 7, West 7, Donaghy 7,
Grealish 8, Saxby 7, Price 7, Hill 8,
Stein 7, ★INGRAM 9, Aizlewood 7,
Moss 8, Moss 8 Referee: L. Shapter (Torquay) Match Rating: ★★★

Division Three

BRENTFORD (0) 0 BURNLEY (0) 0 Att: 6.380 Brentford: McKellar 6, Tucker 6, Hill 6, Salman 7, Kruse 6, Hurlock 6, Shrubb 6, Frost 6 (sub. Funnell), Johnson 6, *HARRIS 8, Crown 7, Burnley: O'Rourke 7, Laws 6, Holt 6, Young 6, Overson 7, *DOBSON 8, Cassidy 6, Potts 6, Hamilton 6, Taylor Cassiny 6, 10tts 6, 10tts 6, Cavener 6.

Referee: R. C. Challis (Tonbridge)

Match Rating: ★★

GILLINGHAM (0) 0 ROTHERHAM (0) 0 Att: 3,748

Att: 3,748
Gillingham: Sutton 7, Walker 7, Ford
7, Bruce 7, **WEATHERLEY 8,
Crabbe 6, Nicholl 6, Hughes 6,
Richardson 7, Westwood 6, White 6.
Rotherham: Mountford 7, Forrest 6,
Breckin 6, Rhodes 7, **STANCLIFFE
8, Mullen 7, Towner 6, Gooding 7,
Moore 6, Fern 6, Henson 7.
Referee: R. S. Lewis (Great Bookham)
Match Rating: ***

NEWPORT (1) 4 (Waddle 41, Lowndes 46, Moore 53, Tynan 90) SHEFFIELD UNITED (0) 0 Att: 6,630 Att: 6,630

Newport: Plumley 6, Walden 6,
Vaughan 7, Davies 6, Oakes 7, Tynan
7, Elsey 6, *LOWNDES 8, Gwyther
6, Waddle 7 (sub. Warriner 6), Moore

Sheff Utd: ★CONROY 8, Ryan 7 Sherr Utd: *CONRUY 8, Ryan 7, Garner 6, Kenworthy 6, McPhail 6, Trusson 6, Houston 6, Neville 6 (sub. Charles), Keeley 6, Hatton 6, Peters 6. Referee: B. Stevens (Stonehouse) Match Rating: ***

WALSALL (0) 0 MILLWALL (0) 0 Att: 3.918

Att: 3,918
Walsall: Green 7, Macken 7, Mower 6
(sub. O'Kelly 6), Serella 6, Baines 6,
*HART 8, Waddington, P 7,
Waddington, S 7, Smith 7, Buckley 5,

Waddington, 5 7, Silitar 7, Sassay, 7, Caswell 7.

Millwall: ★JACKSON 8, Martin 7, Roberts 6, Chatterton 7, Tagg 6, Blyth 7, Kinsella 7, Mehmet 6 (sub. McKenna 6), Mitchell 7, Bartley 6,

Massey 7.

Referee: D. Richardson (Gt. Harwood) Match Rating: ***

Division Four

ALDERSHOT (0) 0 NORTHAMPTON (0) 0 Att: 2.992 Aldershot: Johnson 6, Edwards 6. Wooler 6, ★BRILEY 8, Bennett 7, Jopling 7, Tomlin 4, Sanford 5,

Garwood 5 (sub. Lucas 6), Crosby 6, Robinson 5. Northampton: ***POOLE 9**, Sandy 5, Sandercock 5, Waldock 5, Byatt 6, Denyer 7, Carlton 6, Williams 6, Phillips 7, Bowen 5, Farmer 5. **Referee:** L. F. Burden (Corfe Mullen)

Match Rating: ★

BOURNEMOUTH (0) 0 STOCKPORT (1) 1 (Leigh 14) Att: 2 822

Att: 2,822

Bournemouth: Smeulders 7,
Cunningham 7, Moore 6, *SMITH 8,
Compton 6, Heffernan 6, Spackman 6,
Mooney 6, Morgan 5 (sub. McGrath),
Massey 6, Ferns 6.
Stockport: Lawson 7, Rutter 6,
*SHERLOCK 8, Fowler 7, Thorpe 7,
Uzelac 7, Leigh 7, Sunley 7, Bradd 7,
Galvin 7, Coyle 6.
Referee: D. S. Vickers (Ilford) —
Replaced by G. Smith (Weston-super-Mare) Match Rating: ★★

BRADFORD v HALIFAX — Match Postponed

DARLINGTON (0) 0 YORK (0) 0 Att: 3.209 Att: 3,209
Darlington: Cuff 7, Kamara 7, Wilson 6, Smith 7, Skipper 7, Speedie 7, Hawker 6, Charlton 6 (sub. Ball 5), Stalker 6, *HAMILTON 8, Walsh 6.
York: *BLACKBURN 8, Hood 5, Kay 6, McGhie 6, Clements 7, Craig 7, Ford 6, Byrne 7, Smith 6 (sub. Richards 6), McDonald 6, Walsh 7.
Referee: D. Richardson (Lincoln)

ROCHDALE (1) 2 (Jones 30, 68) CREWE (0) 0 Att: 2.540 Att: 2,540

Rochdale: Crawford 7, *JONES 8,
Snookes 7, Seal 6, Burke 7, Taylor 6
(sub. Weir 7), Wann 7, O'Loughlin 7,
Hilditch 6, Wellings 7, Martinez 6.
Crewe: Mulhearn 6, McMahon 6,
Lewis 6, Hunter 6, Scott 6, Prophett
6, Davies 7, Coyne 7 (sub. Nelson 6),
Conroy 7, *GREENHOFF 8, Bowers
7

Referee: P. Willis (Durham)
Match Rating: ★★★

Match Rating: ★★★★

TRANMERE v LINCOLN - Match Postponed

WIGAN (0) 0 SOUTHEND (0) 1 (McAdam, og 48) Att: 5.267 Wigan: Ward 6, Fretwell 5, McAdam 6, Urquhart, G 7, Methven 8, ★CRIBLEY 9, McMullan 6, Quinn 6, Houghton 7, Hutchinson 7, Corrigan

Southend: Cawston 7, Stead 6, Yates God Referee: D. Civil (Birmingham) Match Rating: ★★★

SCOTTISH Premier Division

AIRDRIE (1) 1 (Miller, og 25) RANGERS (0) 1 (Dawson 69) Att: 11 800

Airdrie: Martin 7, Cairney 6, Rodger 7, ★MARCH 8, McCluskey 7, McCulloch 6, Walker 7, Gordon 6, Clark 7, Russell 6 (sub. Thompson), McGuire 6 (sub. McEwan).

Rangers: *McCLOY 8, Miller 6, Dawson 7, Jardine 6, Forsyth 6, Bett 7, Cooper 7, Russell 6 (sub. McKay 6), McAdam 6, Redford 6 (sub. McLean 6), MacDonald 7.
Referee: J. Timmons (Kilwinning)
Match Rating: ***

ST MIRREN (0) 1 (Bone 54) ABERDEEN (0) 1 (Scanlon, pen 68) Att: 11,100 St Mirren: Thomson 7, Young 6, Beckett 7, Copland 6, Foulton 7, *RICHARDSON 8, Stark 7, McCormack 6, Somner 7, Bone 7, Weir 6. Aberdeen: Leighton 7, Kennedy 6, Rougvie 6, McLeish 7, Miller 6, Watson 7, Simpson 6, Angus 7, *McGHEE 8, McCall 7 (sub. Hewitt), Scanlon 7.
Referee: A. McGunnigle (Glasgow) Match Rating: ★★★

CELTIC (3) 3 (McGarvey 12, 44, Provan 15) MORTON (0) 0 Att: 14,900 Att: 14,900
Cettic: Bonner 7, McGrain 7, Reid 7,
Sullivan 6, McAdam 6, Aitken 7,
Provan 7, Weir 6, McGarvey 7,
*BURNS 8, Nicholas 7.
Morton: Baines 7, Hayes 6, Holmes
6, Rooney 6, Orr 7, McLaughlin 6,
*BUSBY 8, McNeil 6 (sub. Bryce 6),
Hutchison 6 (sub. Ritchie 6), Thomson
7, Tolmie 7. 7, Tolmie 7.
Referee: E. Pringle (Edinburgh)
Match Rating: ★★★

DUNDEE UNITED (2) 7 (Gibson 34, Kirkwood 42, 51, Dodds 49, Milne 79, Addison 82, Bannon, pen 88) KILMARNOCK (0) 0 Att: 9,700 Dundee Utd: McAlpine 7, Kirkwood Dundee Utd: McAlpine 7, Kirkwood 6, Kopel 7, Phillips 6, Hegarty 7, Narey 7, Bannon 8, Milne 7, Gibson 7, ★STURROCK 9, Dodds 7. Kilmarnock: Wilson, A 6, McLean 7, Cockburn 6, McClurg 6, Clarke 6, Armstrong 6, Houston 5, Mauchlen 7, Bourke 6, Wilson 6, ★HUGHES 8. Referee: G. Smith (Edinburgh) Match Rating: ★★★

PARTICK THISTLE (1) 1 (Watson, pen 17) HEARTS (0) 0 Att: 3,500 Att: 3,500

Partick: Rough 7, Welsh 6, Whittaker 7, Campbell 6, Anderson 7, Jardine 6, Park 6, *WATSON 8, Sweeney 6 (sub. Clark, S 6), Doyle 7, O'Hara 7. Hearts: Brough 7, Hamilton 6 (sub. Robinson), Shields 7, More 6, Liddell 7, MacDonald 6, Conn 7, Masterton 6, Hamill 7, *GIBSON 8, O'Brien 6. Referee: R. Valentine (Dundee) Match Rating: ★★★

Division One

AYR (1) 3 (Armour 37, Frye 51, Connor 88) EAST STIRLING (0) 3 (Shanks, og 49, McCulley 57, Kelly 83) Att: 2.339

CLYDEBANK (1) 1 (Miller 9) STIRLING (0) 1 (Steele 72) Att: 600

FALKIRK (0) 1 (Oliver 47) RAITH (0) 0 Att: 1,500

HAMILTON (2) 4 (Brown 4, Howie 36, McDowall 69, Deeney 89)

DUNDEE (1) 2 (Stephen 20, Geddes Att: 2.500

HIBERNIAN (1) 1 (Murray 25) DUMBARTON (0) 0

ST JOHNSTONE (0) 1 (McCoist 60) BERWICK (0) 0 Att: 2.365

DUNFERMLINE v MOTHERWELL — Match Postponed

Division Two

QUEEN'S PARK (0) 1 (Nicholson MEADOWBANK (1) 1 (Jobson 44) Att: 856

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FORFAR (0) 0 BRECHIN (2) 2 (Graham 31, Campbell 42) Att: 1,891

HAWICK ROYAL ALBERT (1) 2 (Loughlan 12, McConnel 85) COWDENBEATH (0) 2 (Steele 50, McGhee 84) Att: 650

INVERNESS THISTLE (1) 2 (Black, pen 31, Guyen 64) MONTROSE (0) 0 Att: 310

ROTHES (0) 1 (Ross, pen 50) CLYDE (1) 5 (Evans 36, Masterton 46, 82, 88, McKen, og 51) Att: 1,200

STENHOUSEMUIR (0) 0 SPARTANS (0) 0 Att: 400

STRANRAER (2) 2 (Sim 38, Gibb 40) BUCKIE THISTLE (1) 2 (Kennedy 32, Duncan 69) Att: 350

ALBION ROVERS v ARBROATH -Match Postponed

QUEEN OF THE SOUTH v EAST FIFE — Match Postponed

Tuesday, Jan. 6 **FA Cup Third Round** Replays

BOLTON (0) 0 NOTTINGHAM FOREST (0) 1

(Francis 113)
After Extra Time Atte: 22,779

Bolton: Peacock 6, Graham 6,
Brennan 7, Wilson 7, Nicholson 6,
McElhinney 8, *NIKOLIC 9,
Whatmore 6, Hoggan 8, Kidd 7, Nottm Forest: Shilton 7, Anderson 7, Gray 8, *McGOVERN 9, Lloyd 7, Burns 7, O'Neill 6, Bowyer 6, Francis 7, Ward 6, Robertson 6.

Referee: T. G. Bune (Cranleigh) Match Rating: ★★★

CARLISLE (0) 2 (Beardsley 54, MacDonald 66)
MANSFIELD (1) 1 (Caldwell 39) Att: 6,929 Carlisle: Harrison 6, Haigh 7, Coady 6, MacDonald 7, Campbell 6, Parker 6, Coughlin 6, Metcalfe 6, Bannon 7,

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★BEARDSLEY 8, Staniforth 7. Mansfield: *ARNOLD 8, McJannet 6, Wood 6, Hamilton 7, McClelland 7, Bird 7, Pollard 6 (sub. Burrows), Mann 6, Caldwell 7, Phillips 6, Thomson 6.
Referee: T. Mills (Barnsley)
Match Rating: ***

CHESTERFIELD (1) 1 (Hunter 30) PETERBOROUGH (2) 2 (Cooke 12, Att: 8.216 Att: 8,216
Chesterfield: Turner 6, Tartt 6,
Pollard 6, Kowalski 5, Green 6,
Hunter 7 (sub. Walwyn), Birch 7,
*SIMPSON 8, Bonnyman 6,
Salmons 6, Crawford 6.
Peterborough: Waugh 8, McVay 7,
Politics 7, Cypa 7, Slough Phillips 7, Gynn 7, Slack 7, Slough 6, Quow 7, Kellock 8, *COOKE 9, Hodgson 6, Robson 7.
Referee: T. M. Tyson (Sunderland)
Match Rating: ***

COVENTRY (0) 1 (Thompson 89) LEEDS (0) 0 Att: 22.057 Coventry: Sealey 8, Coop 6, Roberts 8, Blair 7, Dyson 8, Gillespie 8, Bodak 7, Daly 7, *THOMPSON 9, Hateley 7, Daly 7, *THOMPSON 9, Hateley 7, Bannister 6.
Leeds: Lukic 7, Hird 7, Gray 7, Flynn 7, *HART 8, Cherry 7, Parlane 7, Chandler 6, Hamson 6, Sabella 6, Graham 7.
Referee: P. Partridge (Co. Durham) Match Rating: ***

ENFIELD (2) 3 (Bishop 5, King 40, Howell 80) PORT VALE (0) 0 Att: 6,449 Att: 6,449
Enfield: Jacobs 6, Wade 7, Tone 7, Jennings 7, Oliver 7, Howell 7, Ashford 7 (sub. Holmes 6), Barrett 7, Burton 6, Bishop 7, *KING 8. Port Vale: Cherry 5, Griffiths 6, *MILLER 7, Beech 6, Bowles 6, Sproson 6, Farrell 6, Jones 6, Chamberlain, N 6, Chamberlain M 6 (sub. Elsby 6), Bromage 6.
Referee: K. W. Baker (Rugby)
Match Rating: ***

FULHAM (0) 0 BURY (0) 0 After Extra Time Att: 6,582 Att: 6,582 Fulham: Peyton 7, Strong 7, Lock 5, Gale 6, Banton 5, Hatter 6, Davies 6, O'Driscoll 6, Mahoney 7, Greenaway 6 (sub. Lewington 7), *GOODLASS Bury: ★SOUTHALL 8, Howard 6, Kennedy 5, Gore 6, Hilton 7,
Whitehead 6, Mullen 7, Butler 6,
Johnston 7, Jakub 6, Cruickshank 5
(sub. Farley 6).
Referee: B. Hill (Kettering)
Match Rating: **

OLDHAM (0) 0
WIMBLEDON (0) 1 (Cork 85)
Att: 6,789
Oldham: Platt 7, Edwards 6, Blair 7,
Keegan 7, *CLEMENT 8, Hurst 6,
Wylde 6, Atkinson 5 (sub. Hilton 5),
Steel 5, Palmer 5, Kowenicki 5.
Wimbledon: Beasant 8, Jones 6,
Armstrong 6, *GALLIERS 9, Smith
6, Brown 6, Ketteridge 5, Denny 6,
Leslie 5, Cork 7, Hubbick 7 (sub.
Hodges 6). Hodges 6).
Referee: M. R. Baker (Wolverhampton)
Match Rating: **

WOLVES (0) 2 (Eves 49, Hibbitt 61) STOKE (1) 1 (Heath 35) Att: 22,892 Wolves: Bradshaw 7, Palmer 6, Hollifield 7, Daniel 6, McCalle 7, Berry ★HIBBITT 8, Atkinson 6, Bell 6, Richards 7, Eves 7. Stoke: Fox 7, Evans 6, Hampton 6,

Dodd 5, Cook 5, Doyle 7, Bracewell 6, *HEATH 8, Chapman 5, McGuire 6 Munroe 6 Referee: C. B. White (Harrow) Match Rating: ★★★

WREXHAM (0) 0 WEST HAM (0) 0 After Extra Time Att: 13.643 Att: 13,643
Wrexham: Davies 6, Sutton 7,
Kenworthy 6, Davis 7, Cegielski 7,
Carrodus 6, Fox 7, Arkwright 7,
Edwards 6, McNeil 6,
*CARTWRIGHT 8.
West Ham: Parkes 7, Stewart 7,
Lampard 6, Bonds 7, Martin 7,
*DEVONSHIRE 9, Holland 7,
Goddard 8, Cross 7, Brooking 8, Pike
7

Referee: C. N. Seel (Carlisle)
Match Rating: ★★★

Wednesday, Jan. 7 **FA Cup Third Round** Replay

SUNDERLAND (1) 1 (Rowell 6) BIRMINGHAM (0) 2 (Bertschin 88, After Extra Time; Score at 90 minutes Att: 27.793 Att: 27,793
Sunderland: Turner 7, Whitworth 7,
Bolton 7, *HINDMARCH 8, Elliott 7,
Rowell 7, Arnott 6 (sub. Cooke 6),
Brown 5, Hawley 6, Chisholm 7, Cummins 7 Cummins 7.

Birmingham: Wealands 6, Langan 7,
Lees 6, Curbishley 7, Gallagher 7
(sub. Evans 7), Todd 7, Ainscow 6,

*BERTSCHIN 8, Worthington 7,
Gemmill 7, Lynex 7.

Referee: D. Richardson (Gt. Harwood)
Match Rating: ***

BRIGHTON (0) 0 MANCHESTER UNITED (1) 2 (Nicholl 33, Birtles 72) Att: 26,928 Richton: Moseley 6, Gregory 6, Stevens 7, *HORTON 8, Foster 7, Lawrenson 7, McNab 6, Ritchie 6, Robinson 6, Clark 6 (sub. Smith 7), Man Utd: Bailey 7, Nicholl 7, Albiston 6, Wilkins 6 (sub. Duxbury),
★McQUEEN 9, Buchan 8, Coppell 8,
Birtles 7, Jordan 8, Macari 7, Thomas

Referee: A. Seville (Birmingham)
Match Rating: ***

BRISTOL CITY (1) 2 (Mabbutt 18, Ritchie 54) DERBY (0) 0 Att: 13,649 Att: 13,649
Bristol City: Shaw 6, Sweeney 6, Hay 6, Aitken 6, Rodgers 7, Marshall 5, Tainton 7, Fitzpatrick 6, Mabbutt 6, Ritchie 7, *PRITCHARD 8.
Derby: Jones 6, Emery 6, Richards 6, Clarke 6, Osgood 6, Ramage 6, *POWELL 7, Hector 6, Biley 6, Swindlehurst 6, Reid 6 (sub. Emson 6) Referee: D. Lloyd (Worcestershire)
Match Rating: ★★★

TOTTENHAM (2) 3 (Crooks 29, Galvin 41, Hoddle 85) QPR (0) 1 (Stainrod 47) QPR (0) 1 (Stainrod 47)
Att: 36,294
Spurs: Daines 6, McAllister 7, Miller 6, Roberts 7, Lacy 6, Perryman 7.
Brooke 7, Archibald 7, Galvin 7,
*HODDLE 8, Crooks 7.
QPR: Burridge 6, Shanks 6, Gillard 6,
Fenwick 6, *WICKS 8, Roeder 6,
Flanagan (sub. McCreery 7), King 6,
Stainrod 7, Currie 7, Silkman 6.
Referee: P. Reeves (Leicester)
Match Rating: *** Match Rating: ★★★

Friday, Jan. 9 **Division Four**

SOUTHEND (0) 1 (Cusack 87) DARLINGTON (0) 0 DARLINGTON (0) 0
Att: 5,066
Southend: Cawston 8, Dudley 7,
Yates 6, Walker 8, Cusack 8, Gray 6
(sub. Polycarpou), Pountney 8, Spence
6, Mercer 7, Nelson 6,
*OTULAKOWSKI 9.
Darlington: Cuff 8, Kamara 7, Ball 7,
*SMITH 9, Skipper 8, Speedie 7,
Hawker 6, McLean 6, Stalker 6,
Hamilton 7, Walsh 7,
Referee: D. V. Reeves (Uxbridge)
Match Rating: ***

STOCKPORT v TORQUAY - Match Postponed

Saturday, Jan. 10 **Division One**

ASTON VILLA (1) 2 (Withe 19, LIVERPOOL (0) 0 Att: 47,970
Aston Villa: Rimmer 6, Swain 7,
Gibson 7, Evans 7, *McNAUGHT 8,
Mortimer 7, Bremner 7, Shaw 7,
Withe 7, Cowans 7, Morley 7.
Liverpool: Clemence 6, Neal 6,
Kennedy, A 6, *IRWIN 7, Kennedy,
R 6, Money 6, Dalglish 5, Lee 6,
Johnson 6, McDermott 6, Souness 6.
Referee: D. Shaw (Cheshire)
Match Rating: *** Att: 47.970

COVENTRY (0) 1 (Hunt 51) MANCHESTER CITY (0) 1 (Mackenzie 67) Att: 18,248 Coventry: ***SEALEY 8**, Coop 6, Roberts 6, Blair 7, Dyson 7, Gillespie 7, Thomas 6, Daly 6, Thompson 7, Ferguson 6, Hunt 7. Man City: Corrigan 7, Ranson 7,
McDonald 7, Reid 6, Power 7, Caton
7, Boyer 6, Gow 7, *MACKENZIE 8,
Hutchison 7, Reeves 7.
Referee: B. Daniels (Brentwood)
Match Rating: ***

CRYSTAL PALACE (1) 1 (Boyle 1) STOKE (0) 1 (Doyle 89) Att: 14,154 Att: 14,154
Crystal Palace: Gennoe 7,
Hinshelwood 7, Boyle 8, Nicholas 6,
Cannon 7, Gilbert 6, Lovell 6,
*FRANCIS 9, Sealy 8, Carter 6,
Hilaire 6 (sub. Smillie 6).
Stoke: Fox 7, Evans 7, Hampton 6,
Dodd 6, O'Callaghan 6, *DOYLE 8,
Bracewell 7, Griffiths 6, Chapman 7,
Richardson 6, Munro 6.
Referee: D. Letts (Basingstoke)
Match Rating: ****
Sending Off: Richardson (Stoke)

EVERTON (0) 1 (O'Keefe 54) ARSENAL (0) 2 (Gatting 77, Vaessen 90) Att: 29,360 Att: 29,360
Everton: McDonagh 7, Gidman 8,
Bailey 7, Wright 7, Ratcliffe 7, Ross
7, McMahon 8, Eastoe 7, Veradi 7,
Hartford 7, ★O'KEEFE 9.
Arsenal: Jennings 8, Devine 8,
Sansom 7, ★DAVIS 9, Walford 7,
Young 7, Hollins 7 (sub. Price 7),
Vaessen 8, Stapleton 7, Gatting 8,
McDermott 8. McDermott 8.

Referee: A. J. Hamil (Wolverhampton)

Match Rating: ★★★

IPSWICH (0) 2 (Mariner 53, Muhren NOTTINGHAM FOREST (0) 0 Att. 25,701 Ipswich: Cooper 6, Burley 7, Mills 6, Thijssen 7, Osman 7, Butcher 7, Wark 7, ★MUHREN 9, Mariner 7, Brazil 8, Nottm Forest: *SHILTON 8,
Anderson 7, Gray 6, McGovern 6,
Needham 6, Burns 7, O'Neill 6, Ward
5, Francis 7, Bowyer 6, Robertson 6.
Referee: C. White (Harrow)
Match Rating: **** O'Callaghan 6.

LEEDS (0) 0 SOUTHAMPTON (1) 3 (Channon 19, Holmes 47, 89) Att: 21,007 Att: 21,007
Leeds: Lukic 5, Hird 6, Gray 6, Flynn 6, Hart 6, *CHERRY 7, Parlane 5 (sub. Harris 6), Hamson 6, Chandler 6, Sabella 6, Graham 6.
Southampton: Wells 7, Golac 7, Holmes 7, Williams 6, Watson 7, Nicholl 6, Keegan 7, *CHANNON 8, George 7, Moran 6, Baker 7.
Referee: R. A. Banks (Manchester)
Match Rating: ***

LEICESTER (0) 0 WBA (2) 2 (Bennett 9, Deehan 43) Att: 17,778 Att: 17,778
Leicester: Wallington 6, Williams 7,
Gibson 6, Peake 6 (sub. Goodwin 6),
Scott 7, O'Neill 6, Lineker 6,
Buchanan 6, Melrose 6, *WILSON
8, MacDonald 6.
WBA: Godden 6, Batson 6, Cowdrill
6, Moses 7, Wile 7, *BENNETT 8,
Robson 7, Brown, A 7, Deehan 7,
Owen 6, Barnes 6.
Referee: P. Tyldesley (Stockport)
Match Rating: ***

(McQueen 34, Macari 63) BRIGHTON (0) 1 (Ritchie 62) Man Utd: Bailey 6, Nicholl 6, Albiston 6, Wilkins 6 (sub, Duxbury), McQueen 7, *BUCHAN 8, Coppell 7, Birtles 6, Jordan 6, Macari 6, Thomas o.

Brighton: Moseley 6, Gregory 6,
Stevens 6, Horton 7, Foster 6,
★LAWRENSON 8, McNab 6, Ritchie
6, Robinson 6, Smith 6, O'Sullivan 7.
Referee: L. M. Robinson (Sutton
Coldfield)
Match Reting: ★★★

Match Rating: ★★★

MANCHESTER UNITED (1) 2

SUNDERLAND (2) 3 (Rowell 24, 68, Cummins 31) NORWICH (0) 0 NORWICH (0) 0
Att: 17,749
Sunderland: Turner 7, Whitworth 7,
Bolton 8, Hindmarch 8, Elliott 8,
*ROWELL 9, Arnott 6, Brown 6,
Hawley 6, Chisholm 6, Cummins 7.
Norwich: Baker 6, McDowell 6,
Symonds 6, McGuire 6, Hoadley 5
(sub. Bennett 6), *WATSON 7,
Mendham 6, Fashanu 6, Royle 6,
Paddon 6, Jack 6.
Referee: N. Midgley (Salford)
Match Rating: **

TOTTENHAM (0) 1 (Crooks 62) BIRMINGHAM (0) 0 Att: 24,909
Spurs: Daines 7, McAllister 7, Miller 6, Roberts 7, Lacy 6, Perryman 8, Brooke 7 (sub. Mazzon), Archibald 8, Galvin 8, Hoddle 7, *CROOKS 9.
Birmingham: *WEALANDS 8, Langan 6, Lynex 7, Curbishley 7, Gallagher 6, Todd 7, Ainscow 6, Bertschin 7, Worthington 6, Gemmill 7, Evans 7.
Referee: S. Bates (Bristol)
Match Rating: **** Att: 24,909

WOLVES (1) 3 (Hibbitt 8, Eves 55, 86) MIDDLESBROUGH (0) 0 Att: 16.253 Att: 10,293
Wolves: Bradshaw 7, Palmer 7,
Hollifield 7, Daniel 6, *McCALLE 8,
Berry 7, Hibbitt 6, Atkinson 7, Bell 6,
Richards 6, Eves 6.
Middlesbrough: Platt 6, Craggs 6,
Bailey 5, *McANDREW 7, Ashcroft

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6 (sub Angus 5) Nattress 6. Cochrane 6, Proctor 5, Hodgson 6, Shearer 6, Armstrong 6. Referee: G. P. Owen (Anglesey) Match Rating: ★★★

Division Two

BLACKBURN (0) 0 WATFORD (0) 0 Att: 9.466 Blackburn: Butcher 6, Branagan 5, DeVries 5, Kendall 5 (sub. Hamilton 5), ★KEELEY 7, Fazackerley 6, Brotherston 5, Stonehouse 5, Garner Burke 6, Speight 6. 5, Burke 6, Speight 6. Watford: Sherwood 6, Rice 6, Harrison 5, Taylor 5, *TERRY 7, Jackett 6, Callaghan 5, Blissett 5, Armstrong 5, Train 4, Poskett 4. Referee: M. G. Peck (Kendall) Match Rating: ★★

BRISTOL CITY (0) 0 CAMBRIDGE (1) 1 (Marshall, og 4) Att: 9,727 Att: 9,727
Bristol City: Moller 7, *SWEENEY
8, Hay 6, Aitken 5, Rodgers 6,
Marshall 5, Tainton 6, Fitzpatrick 5,
Mabbutt 6, Ritchie 7, Pritchard 6.
Cambridge: Key 7, Donaldson 6,
Murray 7, Smith 7, Fallon 6, Finney 6,
Streete 7, *SPRIGGS 8, Reilly 6,
Taylor 7, Christie 7.
Referee: H. W. King (Merthyr Tydfil)
Match Rating: **

DERBY (1) 2 (Gillies, og 2, Biley 80) BRISTOL ROVERS (0) 1 (Lee 50) Att: 15,015 Derby: Jones 6, Emery 6, Buckley 6, Powell, S 5, McFarland 6, *RAMAGE 7, Reid 6, Powell, B 5, *RAMAGE 7, Reid 6, Powell, B 5, Biley 4, Swindlehurst 6, Emson 5. Bristol Rovers: Kite 6, Gillies 6, Jones 5, McCaffery 5, Hughes 6, Emmanuel 6, ★WILLIAMS 7, Barrowclough 6, Lee 5, Mabbutt 6, Barratt (sub. Cooper 5).

Referee: T. Mills (Barnsley)
Match Rating: ★★

GRIMSBY (1) 4 (Cumming 18, Waters, pen 70, Drinkell 83, 89) BOLTON (0) 0 Att: 9.320 Grimsby: Batch 7, Stone 6, Crombie 7, ★WATERS 9, Wigginton 7, Moore 7, Brolly 8, Ford 7, Drinkell 7, Mitchell 7, Brolly 8, Ford 7, Drinkell 7, Mitchell 7, Cumming 7 (sub. Liddell). Bolton: Peacock 5, Graham 6, McElhinney 5, Wilson 5, Gowling 7, Brennan 7, Nikolich 7 (sub. Nicholson 5), Thomas 6, ★HOGGAN 8, Kidd 5,

Bennett 6.
Referee: K. Baker (Rugby)
Match Rating: ***

LUTON (1) 2 (Moss 25, Price 62) CARDIFF (1) 2 (Kitchen 10, Giles 46) Att: 9,013 Luton: Findlay 7, West 6, Donaghy 7, Grealish 6, Saxby 6, Price 7, ★HILL 8, Stein 7, Ingram 5, Aizlewood 6,

Cardiff: Healey 7, Roberts 6, Thomas 6, *HUGHES 8, Pontin 7, Dwyer 6, Giles 7, Kitchen 7, Stevens 5, Ronson 6, Buchanan 7 (sub. Micalleff 6). Referee: D. Hutchinson (Harrogate) Match Rating: ★★★

NOTTS COUNTY (0) 0 SHREWSBURY (0) 0 Notts County: *LEONARD, M 8, Benjamin 7, Wood 7 (sub. McParland 6), Hunt 6, Kilcline 7, Beavon 6, Manns 7, Masson 6, Christie 6, Harkouk 6, Hooks 6 Shrewsbury: Wardle 7, King 7, Leonard, C 6, Turner 6, Griffin 6, Referee: M. Dimblebee (Stevenage) Match Rating: ★★

ORIENT (1) 2 (Jennings 13, Bowles, pen 85) OLDHAM (2) 3 (Palmer 6, 15, Keegan 59) Att: 4 048 Att: 4,048
Orient: Day 6, Hughton 6, Roffey 7,
Taylor, T 6, Gray 6, Parsons 6,
Chiedozie 7, Mayo 7, Jennings 7,
*BOWLES 8, Taylor, P 6.
Oldham: Platt 6, Sinclair 6, Blair 6,
Keegan 7, Clements 7, Hurst 7,
Edwards 6, Hilton 7, Nuttall 6, ★PALMER 8, McDonough 6. Referee: A. Robinson (Hants) Match Rating: ★★★

QPR (0) 1 (Stainrod 71) PRESTON (0) 1 (Bell 65) Att: 8.415 QPR: Burridge 7, Shanks 7, Gillard 6, Fenwick 7, Wicks 7, Roeder 7, Neal 6, King 6, ★STAINROD 8, Currie 7, Silkman 7 Preston: Tunks 7, Westwell 7, McAteer 7, Bell 7, Baxter 7, O'Riordon 7, Doyle 6, Coleman 6, Elliott 6, McGee 7, *HOUSTON 8. Referee: J. C. Deacon (Bedford)

Match Rating: ***

SHEFFIELD WEDNESDAY (0) 0 CHELSEA (0) 0 Att: 25,113
Sheff Wed: Bolder 8, Blackhall 7, Grant 8, Smith 7, Shirtliff 8, Sterland 6, Pearson 6, Johnson 8, Leman 7, McCulloch 7, *CURRAN 9. Chelsea: Borota 8, Locke 8, Rofe 8, Elmes 6, Droy 8, Chivers 7, Britton 7, Fillery 7, Lee 7, *WALKER 9, Rhoades-Brown 6 (sub. Driver).

Referee: G. Courtney (Spennymoor)

Match Rating: ****

SWANSEA (0) 1 (Curtis 54) WEST HAM (2) 3 (Brooking 24, Pike 34. Cross 59) 34, Cross 59) Att: 22,110 Swansea: Stewart, D 6, Attley 7, ★HADZIABDIC 8, Mahoney 6, Stevenson 5, Phillips 5, James, R 6, Curtis 7, James, L 5 (sub. Giles 5), Charles 7, Robinson 6. West Ham: Parkes 7, Stewart, R 7, Lampard 6, *BONDS 8, Martin 6, Devonshire 7, Holland 6, Goddard 7, Cross 7, Brooking 7, Pike 7. Referee: M. P. Scott (Nottingham) Match Rating: ***

WREXHAM (0) 0 NEWCASTLE (0) 0 Att: 6,437
Wrexham: Davies 8, Hill 7, Jones 7,
*DAVIS 9, Cegielski 6, Arkwright 7,
Fox 8, Sutton 5, Edwards 5 (sub.
Vinter 5), McNeil 6, Cartwright 6.
Newcastle: Carr 6, Carney 6,
Johnson 7, *MARTIN 8, Boam 6,
Halliday 7, Shinton 7, Trewick 6,
Harford 6, Wharton 6, Waddle 7.
Referee: V. Callow (Solihull)
Match Rating: *** Att: 6,437

Division Three

BARNSLEY (1) 2 (Lester 11, Aylott PLYMOUTH (0) 1 (Kemp 89) Att: 11,355 Barnsley: Pierce 7, Joyce 6, Chambers 6, *GLAVIN 8, Banks 7, McCarthy 7, Evans 6, Parker 6, Aylott 7, Lester 7, Downes 6. Plymouth: Crudgington 6, Nisbet 6 Harrison 6, Hodges 7, Foster 7, Phillipson-Masters 6, Cooper 6 *KEMP 8, Sims 7, Bason 6, Murphy Referee: T. Farley (Newton Aycliffe)
Match Rating: ★★★

CHARLTON (3) 3 (Tydeman 27, Hales 29, Walker 42) HULL (0) 2 (Roberts, J 82, Edwards Charlton: Johns 7, Gritt 6, Madden 7, Shaw 6, Berry 6 (sub. Naylor 5), *TYDEMAN 8, Powell 7, Walsh 7, Hales 7, Walker 7, Robinson 7. Hull: Norman 7, Hoolickin 5, Ferguson 6, Richards 6, Roberts, J 7, McClaren 6, Marwood 6, Mutrie 6, ★EDWARDS 8, Whitehurst 7, Deacy

Referee: G. J. Napthine (Leicester)
Match Rating: ★★★

CHESTER (0) 0 BRENTFORD (0) 0 Att: 2,041 Chester: Millington 7, Jeffries 6, Walker 6, Storton 5, Cottam 5, Oakes Walker 6, Storton 5, Oches 6, *SUTCLIFFE 8, Jones 6, Fear 5, Cooke 7, Ludlam 6 (sub. Phillips 5). Brentford: McKellar 6, Tucker 6, Hill 5, Salman 5, Kruse 6, Hurlock 7, Shrubb 6, Frost 5, Johnson 6, *HARRIS 8, Crown 7 Referee: D. Lloyd (Worcester)
Match Rating: ***

COLCHESTER (1) 3 (Foley 17, BLACKPOOL (1) 2 (Morris 37, Ball Att: 2,378 Att: 2,378
Colchester: Walker 7, Cook 7,
Longhorn 8, Leslie 7, Wignall 7,
Packer 6, Wright 6, Foley 7, Bremner
8, *GOUGH 9, Allinson 7.
Blackpool: Hesford 6, Gardner 7,
*PASHLEY 8, Ball 6, Sbragia 6,
Ashurst 7, Morgan 6, Hockaday 6,
Harrison 7, Morris 6, Simmonite 6.
Referee: M. Bidmead (Chessington)
Match Rating: ***

EXETER (0) 0 WALSALL (1) 3 (O'Kelly 16, Hart 69, Buckley 72) Att: 4.590 Att: 4,590
Exeter: Bond 5, Rogers, M 6, Hatch 7,
Forbes 5, Roberts, L 6, Roberts, P 5,
Pearson 4 (sub. Pratt), Rogers, P 6,
Kellow 6, *DELVE 8, Pullar 6. Walsall: Green 6, Macken 5 (sub. Horne 5), Harrison 6, Serella 6, Baines 6, Hart 7, Waddington, S 6, Caswell 5, O'Kelly 7, *BUCKLEY 8, Waddington, P 6.
Referee: A. Gunn (Burgess Hill) Match Rating: ★★★

GILLINGHAM v BURNLEY - Match Postponed

HUDDERSFIELD (2) 4 (Stanton 18, 77, Austin 35, Cowling 48)
NEWPORT (1) 1 (Lowndes 9) Att: 9,063 Att: 9,063
Huddersfield: Freeman 6, Brown 7,
Robinson 7, *STANTON 8, Sutton
7, Topping 6, Lillis 6, Kennedy 7,
Austin 7, Kindon 7, Cowling 7.
Newport: Kendall 5, Walden 6,
Vaughan 6, Davies 5, Oakes 6,
*TYNAN 7, Elsey 6, Lowndes 6,
Gwyther 6, Waddle 6, Moore 6.
Referee: P. Partridge (Cockfield)
Match Rating: ****

MILLWALL (1) 3 (Chatterton 37, Mehmet 50, Bartley 70) FULHAM (1) 1 (Davies 23) Att: 6,002 Millwall: Jackson 7, Martin 7,
Roberts 7, Chatterton 7, Tagg 6, Blyth
6, Kinsella 7, Mehmet 8,
*MITCHELL 9, Bartley 8, Massey 7.
Fulham: *PEYTON 7, Strong 6, Lock
6, Clement 6, Barton 5, Hatter 5, Davies 6, O'Driscoll 6, Mahoney 6, Lewington 5, Goodlass 5. Referee: C. Thomas (Porthcawl) Match Rating: ★★★

PORTSMOUTH (1) 1 (Gregory, pen SHEFFIELD UNITED (0) 0 Att: 14,321

Portsmouth: *MFLLOR 8. McLaughlin 6, Viney 6, Doyle 5,
Aizlewood 6, Davey 7, Gregory 6, Tait
6, Perrin 6, Bryant 5, Rogers 5.
Sheff Utd: Conroy 6, Ryan 5, Garner
6, Houston 6, McPhail 6, Trusson 7,
Charles 6, Tibbott 5, Butlin 5, Hatton 5, ★PETERS 8.
Referee: T. G. Bune (Cranleigh)
Match Rating: ★★

READING (2) 3 (Hetzke, pen 2, 56, Dixon 20)
CARLISLE (1) 1 (Coughlin 13) Att: 3.957 Reading: Death 6, Williams 6, Lewis 6, Webb 7, Hicks 6, Hetzke 6, Earles 6 (sub. Alexander 6), Kearney 5, **Substitute of the state of th Staniforth 7.
Referee: R. W. Toseland (Market Harborough)
Match Rating: ★★★

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Rotherham: Mountford 7, Forrest 8, Breckin 7, Rhodes 6, Stancliffe 7, Mullen 7, Towner 6, Gooding 6, Moore 6, *FERN 9, Henson 8. Oxford: Burton 8, Doyle 7, ***FOGG** 9, Jeffrey 7, Briggs 7, Shotton 6, Jones 6, Foley 8, Thomas 7, Berry 6, Smithers 6.
Referee: N. H. Glover (Chorley)
Match Rating: ***

THE remainder of the Saturday programme will be published in next week's MATCH.

PRIZEWINNERS

WINNER of the Identity Parade competition which appeared in our January 3 issue is Ian McPherson, Old Trafford, Manchester. Ian wins a Ferguson stereo record player.

The five runners-up, who each receive a football, are: Simon Bloomer, Worsley, Lancs; Paul Harcourt, Billingham, Cleveland; Dean Booker, Mile Oak, Portslade, Sussex; R. Dennis, Chippenham, Wilts; James O'Brien, Finsbury Park, Manor House, London. Answers to the competition: A

- Graham Paddon, Norwich; B Peter Barnes, West Brom; C -Stuart Pearson, West Ham

WINNER of Spot the Difference No. 36, which appeared in our December 20 issue, is: Thomas Betts of Diss, Norfolk, who receives a fabulous Ferguson stereo record player.
The ten differences were: Patch

on banner in crowd; bracket on goalpost; number on player's back; another leaf on mistletoe; moustache on player; badge on same player's shirt; stripe on toilet roll; goal-line is continued; extra hoop on player's sock; tuft of grass missing.

THE calendar caption contest for December was won by Sam McCrory, Lodge Farm, Hodson, nr Swindon, His caption was: "Quick run, it's BBC1.

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IAN Burnham, Stanwell Moor, Staines, Middlesex, asks: How did you feel when you stepped onto the pitch at Wembley for your England debut against Norway in September last year? GRAHAM: To be honest, Ian,

the most memorable moment for me was when the team was announced. All I wanted to do was ring up as many people as I could and tell them.

It's an old cliche but it's true to say it was the realisation of one

England debut?

of my dearest ambitions to play for my country.

Any player worth his salt - no matter at what level he plays wants to represent his country.

I reckon that if more players had the ambition to play for England our game would be much stronger all round.

If they pushed themselves it could only help their game and improve the overall standard of play in this country.

It was quite a successful debut for me because I helped set up one of the goals - so I was very pleased with my display in our 4-0 win.



What's in store?

PHIL Lawrence, Woodley, Derbyshire, asks: Will you be staying at Arsenal when your contract ends or will you go abroad?

GRAHAM: I have 18 months of my present contract to run Phil, and I shall see that out. I enjoy playing for The Gunners — they are a magic club — and if they make me a good enough offer I shall continue playing for them.

At the same time I must also look at the future very seriously. A footballer only has about 10 to 12 years to set himself up for life and obviously he must go for the best offer he can get.

Many people have criticised players for going abroad to make their fortunes, but I can't see anything wrong in it.

If a person was offered three times the salary he could earn in England to do the same job abroad then it's obvious he would consider it very seriously indeed.

> **NEXT WEEK: West Ham's** in-form striker David Cross tackles your questions. Don't miss his revealing answers.

lunch with

And read his life story part three.

Clough

on match day

The Forest boss takes a revealing look behind the scenes.

Arsenal and England

That penalty?

PETER Williams, Ruislip, Middlesex, asks: How did you feel when you missed that all-important penalty in the final of the European Cup-Winners' Cup against Valencia last season?

GRAHAM: I knew this would be

one of the questions, Peter!
Obviously I was very
disappointed and at the time I cried my eyes out.

But in a way I'm glad it was me and none of the other lads.

The players were great and went out of their way to comfort me. The fans were also very good - I even got letters of sympathy from Spurs supporters!

Your room mates?

ELAINE Harrison, Camberwell, London, Suzanne Spencer, Jesmond, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, and Doreen Andall, Shepherds Bush, London, ask: Who do you room with on England and Arsenal trips?

GRAHAM: Last season it was Liam Brady but when he moved to Juventus, Clive Allen took his place. I was expecting to room with him for a long time but Clive quickly moved on to Crystal Palace and I joined up with my old mate Kenny Sansom.

I've known Kenny since I was 14-years-old and room with him on England trips as well. And Glenn Hoddle pops in so often I sometimes think he's sharing the room, too!

It's just like playing for Arsenal when we go away on England trips so it helps relax me.

STEVEN Thomas, West Cross, Swansea, Emma Cathline, Highbury London, and Torben Betts, Stamford, Lincs, ask: What effect has the departure of Liam Brady to Juventus had on Arsenal and your own game?

GRAHAM: Liam is a world class player, so without any disrespect to the players who have taken his place we have missed his skills

It's true to say that the fans expect more of me this season now that Liam has gone but that doesn't worry me.

Manager Terry Neill and coach Don Howe have told me to go out and play my normal

Is Brady missed?

game, but it's true that the fans expect me to beat two men or produce a brilliant pass instead of doing the simple thing this season

But I know how I can play and I stay within my limitations. The fans sometimes get disappointed, but they should realise you can't do the spectacular all the time.

I have seen Liam a couple of times since he moved to Italy and know that he is enjoying life out there. The only thing he's really missing is his pint of lager after the

Brighton

programme quide



BRIGHTON may be struggling at the wrong end of the First Division, but their programme is near the top of the League.

It is packed full of interesting stories and features and is good value for 25p.

We looked at the programme for the recent match against Manchester United and although the picture content was not high, there was certainly plenty to keep the fans interested before kick-off.

The only colour picture was on the front but they more than made up for that with good, informative reading.

There was no manager's column unusual because 'Seagulls' boss Alan Mullery doesn't often miss a chance to have his say, but were other views from the Goldstone Ground.

As well as a good news round up, the programme compilers had gone to a lot of trouble to produce a different introduction to the visitors and had produced interesting facts and figures.

Star rating guide: *** * Superb, *** Good, ** Satisfactory, ** Poor, * Terrible.

How the Brighton programme fared: Content ★★★, Pictures ★★★, Colour * *, Info * * * *, Entertainment ****, Value for money ****.

How Villa were stunned by Trevor **Francis**

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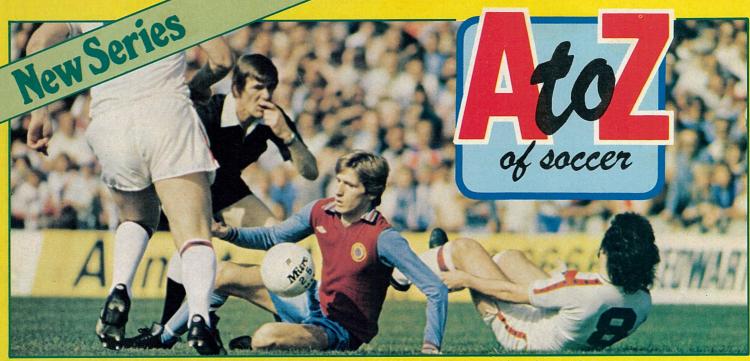
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IVERPOOL VEVERTON

• Paul Stratton previews the top ties in the F.A. Cup Fourth Round.





C is for Villa's clever midfielder Gordon COWANS, in action against Crystal Palace.



C is for Steve COPPELL of Manchester United and England.

OR...

 Bobby and Jackie CHARLTON were the last pair of brothers to play for England. While with Manchester United, Bobby, of the CANNONBALL shot, made 106 appearances for England, scoring a record 49 goals. He also captained United to the European Cup in 1968 and holds league

goals and appearance records for the club, 198 and 606.

With Bobby, Jackie won a World Cup winners' medal in 1966, earned 28 caps at centre half and holds Leeds' league appearance record (629).

• Johan CRUYFF, brilliant Dutch midfielder and the first £lmillion

transfer (Ajax to Barcelona) in 1973.

CELTIC, Britain's first European Champions Cup winners in 1967 (v. Inter Milan) thanks to a Steve CHALMERS winner.

• CHELSEÁ, European Cup Winners Cup holders in 1971, famed for their accent on youth. Once finished a blizzard ravaged match with Blackpool

in 1932 with only six players — the rest had suffered exposure!

The CHARLES family . . . John was in 1957 the first foreign transfer (Leeds to Juventus) and in 1950 at 18 years 71 days was the youngest player for Wales. Brother Mel (Arsenal) also played for Wales as has nephew Jeremy (now Swansea).

In conclusion, there's Brian CLOUGH, controversial . . . Ray CLE-MENCE, cat-like . . . Tony CURRIE, classy skills and Laurie CUNNING-HAM, captivating speed.

Did you know...

ALLAN CLARKE was sent off in three HOME matches when playing with different clubs Fulham v. Arsenal in 1967, with Leicester City v. Burnley in 1968, and with Leeds v. Hajduk Split in 1973.

CHESTERFIELD were responsible for the only case in FA Cup history of a club meeting the same two opponents in the same rounds in successive seasons when they faced Doncaster (first) and Oldham (second) in 1960-61 and the same pair in the same rounds a year later.

IN the 1964-65 Division Four season CHESTER became the only club to have four players who all reached 20 Football League goals in the same ... Gary Talbot scored 28, Michael Met-

calf (27), Elfed Morris (24) and Hugh Ryden (20).

CHARLTON scored **CHARLTON** when Charlton couldn't score on Easter Saturday in 1957. The was explanation that Charlton Athletic's only goal was scored for them by an own-goal by Arsenal right-back Stan Charlton.